

THE WEATHER

Fair and colder tonight and Thursday; strong northwest winds, diminishing Thursday.

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THE LOWELL SUN

LOWELL MASS. WEDNESDAY MARCH 12 1924

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6 O'CLOCK

LOWELL HARD HIT BY STORM

McLean Admits False Information

SEVEN BANDITS BIND FOUR CLERKS, LOOT SAFE AND FLEE WITH JEWELRY WORTH \$50,000

NEW YORK, March 12.—Seven armed bandits today entered the offices of the Security Loan Co., bound with telephone wire four clerks, one of them a woman, looted an open safe, and escaped in a motor car with jewelry valued at more than \$50,000.

SEVEN LIVES LOST IN STORM

Unspent After 24 Hours, Yesterday's Storm Blew Along New England Coast Today

Seven Lives Known to Be Lost, Five in New York, and Two in Philadelphia

NEW YORK, March 12.—Unspent after 24 hours yesterday's storm blew northeastward today, along the New England coast, buffeting shore towns and lashing the inland country. The weather forecasters said it would last throughout the day.

The gale was abetted by a dense fall of snow and wire communication was badly hampered.

Seven lives were known to be lost, five in New York city and two in Philadelphia. Despite the great winds which reached 75 miles an hour at Atlantic City, ships came into port and left.

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LYSETH MANSLAUGHTER CASE CONTINUED

As the inquest report has not been filed yet with the clerk of court, the case of Earl Otis Lyseth, charged with manslaughter, operating an automobile while he was under the influence of liquor and drunkenness, was continued in district court today, until March 22.

Lyseth is alleged to have been the operator of the automobile which struck and caused the death of Gustaf A. Forsberg in Middlesex street, near Livingston avenue, about a month ago.

THE BUDGET AND AUDIT COMMISSION

The budget and audit commission took no action at its meeting today upon the bill presented by Daniel H. Walker in connection with heating the new high school, previously questioned and held up by the commission, but approved by the school committee Tuesday afternoon of the present week.

The commission did approve the weekly payroll, amounting to \$38,522.05.

NOTICE

Old Homestead Lodge, No. 319—Entire membership called upon to attend special call meeting Thursday Evening, March 13th, at 7.45 o'clock. W. R. Cleary to report on ballot, also other matters of importance.

FOR SALE

CADILLAC SUBURBAN See Page 9 DANA & SON

NOTICE

Ipswich Mill Social Club Whist Party is postponed until Wednesday, March 19, 1924, at Girls' City Club.

CARNIVAL MANAGER HAS LOWELL HIGH ENTERED

James F. Conway, faculty manager of athletics at Lowell high school, today received confirmation of the entry of the Lowell team in the Pennsylvania relay carnival, April 24 and 25. A letter from George W. Orton, manager of the games, acknowledged the receipt of the official entries forwarded by Mr. Conway. He also sent



JAMES F. CONWAY, Faculty Athletic Supervisor

the information that of 429 schools now entered, 329 are leading high schools of the country, and 100 are colleges.

Mr. Orton also assured Mr. Conway that the Lowell boys who will make the trip will be properly cared for at the University of Pennsylvania, while in Philadelphia, probably in one of the many fraternity houses, as the carnival committee makes a special point of looking after teams which come from a long distance.

DAUGHERTY INQUIRY OPENS THIS AFTERNOON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The investigation of Attorney General Daugherty will be opened at 4 o'clock this afternoon under a decision reached this noon by the special senate committee. Chairman Brookhart announced that testimony of witnesses would be begun at that hour.

The senator said that the reported influence of oil interest in the Mexican revolution, planned for inquiry at the opening session, probably would give way to some other undisclosed subject.

Another subpoena issued was for Will H. Hayes, manager of the Under-leider Co., Columbus, Ohio, to appear immediately and bring certain documents. A firm of that name is a stock brokerage house which formerly had a Washington branch office.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS
NEW YORK, March 12.—Exchanges, \$263,000,000; balances, \$74,000,000.
BOSTON, March 12.—Clearings, \$51,000,000; balances, \$15,000,000.



Children Know—

You don't have to coax them to eat Arlington Bacon. They like it and it's good for them.



Lowell and Suburbs Badly Battered By Winter's Fiercest Storm

Snow and Sleet Driven by Wicked Gale—Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Service Seriously Damaged—Many Public Service Lines Out of the City Cut Off—City's Snow-plowing Fleet Augmented by Trucks—Thirty-five Teams and 450 Men Engaged—Street Railway Forces Fight Winning Battle

Storm-bound New England is still cheery and unabashed, though badly battered by Old Winter's first and March riot of 1924 that swept the Atlantic coast all day yesterday and last night and continued with unabated strength this morning.

Coming on the 25th anniversary of that greatest New England blizzard of unfragmented memory—March 11, 1888, was the champion blizzard of all the more recent ones, history tells us—and driving fierce squalls of snow, sleet and ice raindrops before it, the gale swept the powerful campaign force straight down the coast and far into the New England states. Lowell, as usual when a real coast storm works its havoc broadcast through the interior, suffered the full brunt of the furious ravages.

Electric light service was temporarily crippled in many sections of the city and surrounding towns. In some localities of the city, wires of electricity were without lights until today, owing to short circuits, crossed wires and minor troubles that interfered with the service on many so-called "branch lines."

Oaklands, Pawtucketville and other sections of Lowell were hit early last evening. The big blow's force brought memories of the ice storm of 1921, when Lowell was hit harder than any other city in New England.

The ravages of the gale and storm engulfed transportation lines of the storm and electric variety early, although ordinary traffic in Lowell and the suburbs was well maintained. The street railway snow-fighting service was certainly on the job yesterday and all last night, keeping traffic lines open without a great deal of trouble and continuing good transportation service this morning.

Railroad rights of way were kept open without the use of plows, although "through trains" were off-schedule in some instances. The American Express company's daily train from New York city to Portland, Me., which travels via Worcester, Lowell and the Maine city, was two hours late in reaching Lowell this morning.

Telephone and Telegraph Lines
Western Union, New England Telephone and Postal Telegraph trunk lines have been badly hit all through New England and in the Lowell territory as well. Managers of local offices this morning reported "everything gone" outside, or nearly so. Postal company

service with Boston is maintained on a single wire via Albany.

Western Union service, up to noon today, had no through service lines with any New England city, with the exception of occasional "pony" switch connections with Boston via long-distance circuits.

The storm raged all day yesterday in the Lowell territory—wet and heavy and driven by a furious gale. It was a "sticky" storm, depositing moisture that made traveling difficult. Street and sidewalk conditions were in miserable shape late in the afternoon, as they were this morning when the workers started on their daily jaunts to places of employment in the textile mills, shops, stores, etc.

The storm showed no appearance of letting up this morning, and the no-school signals were sounded. Strangely enough, the signal service lines were not affected in the slightest by the storm, the "no-school" being heard distinctly in almost every section of the city.

The public service companies were extremely hard hit by the storm, both locally and outside the city, and anxious managers admit it, although discounting it as anything very serious. Neither are the reports coming in from many districts indicative of any large damages, with the exception of the trouble reported at Alexander's turn-out and beyond to North Main station. This "bad spot" is giving the company's repair experts a lot of work to do today.

Between those points 24 poles carrying the heavy trunk line telephone wires are down flat. Other wires for lighting purposes dropped when the poles snapped off. All service "juice" systems in that territory are out of commission for the time being, but the local telephone "gang men" are there attending to it, being dispatched before daylight to the north trouble zone.

Streets in Darkness
Lowell Electric Lighting corporation reported street lights out in several sections of the city during the evening and early morning. Some lines affected included the service lines running through portions of the Highlands, on Westford street and Chelmsford street and in the Oaklands neighborhood. Lights were out on Rogers street from 9.30 p. m. until 3.30 this morning.

Wire troubles caused by small air currents burning out or crossed wires and "weather interference" brought darkness to many homes in the city, notably on Pawtucketville way, in the Redferry section and also the Oaklands. None of the wire troubles are regarded as serious, and so far as reported this morning not many wires were down and no poles reported damaged in the center of the city.

Trouble was reported on the outside lines in rural districts, notably in Littleton, Chelmsford Centre, Westford and the Billericks.

A feature of today's storm story in connection with "wire troubles" is the electric light corporation's announcements that all the big power lines, so characterized, providing power for Lowell industries and also to those industrial establishments in all surrounding towns, were untouched by the storm's ravages.

The telephone company suffered heavy curtailments of the out-of-town main traffic line service last night and this morning. Many trunk lines running in all directions out of Lowell were "off" today, and hundreds of line-men are working at many important points in New England to erect new poles, install new wires and shake up the local and through service lines in general in order to adjust the connections now broken.

The "Delham break" is the worst damage thus far reported. The local company has 15 experts at work in many districts in this vicinity today.

While long-distance connections were shut off this morning, the service in Lowell proper was not greatly interfered with except at several always "dangerous points." Some trouble was reported in Centralville and Pawtucketville.

Telephone lines were also under order in the Boston & Maine valley, yard-masters having difficulty in handling train orders last night and today, with the south yard telephone service badly "off key." Yard Master Shay reported at 11 o'clock today.

All the big telephone trunk lines to Worcester, Portland and New York, as well as to important south shore points, were affected by the storm, no connections being put through this morning. Wire Chief Johnson said.

The Newburyport-Haverhill direct line and the Amesbury division are still "off" today. The main line north through Lawrence was interrupted for a time. Four poles were reported down.

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WARNING BY MELLON

Revision of Revenue Bill Passed by House Necessary to Prevent Deficit

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Revision of the revenue bill passed by the house must be made to prevent a treasury deficit, Secretary Mellon today told the senate finance committee. "The house bill would mean a loss in revenue of about \$450,000,000," Mr. Mellon said, against an estimated surplus of \$255,000,000 for the fiscal year 1925 under existing law.

The secretary condemned the Longworth compromise on the income tax rate schedule and criticized house amendments which increased estate taxes, created a gift tax and opened a new window for inspection by congressional committees.

Some of the modifications of the measure would be necessary also in the increase ordered by the house in the excise and miscellaneous taxes.

MORE REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS REPORTED

The sale of two large and valuable apartment house properties in the Highland district is reported today through the office of Ryan Brothers, local real estate dealers.

One of the properties involved in a brand new 6-apartment house located in Branch street next easterly to number 204. It was built by Abel R. Sawyer and sold by him to Louis C. Lacroix, who purchases for investment purposes. The selling price of the property was in the vicinity of \$20,000.

The other transaction involves the sale of a 10-apartment house numbered 25-29 Pine street which was built by the late Frank Moody. Located in one of the most popular residential sections of the city, this thoroughly modern property has a yearly rental of about \$1800 a year. The grantor was Marcus Shamus, while M. Keefe purchased for investment purposes.

Other Sales Reported

The sale of two single houses and the granting of an option on a third house located in Endicott street in the Revere park section, off Moody street, is reported through the Merrimack Realty Trust, the trustees of which are George A. Ryan, Raymond L. Avery and Thomas Genest. Some of these houses are completed as yet but it is expected that the two already sold will be ready for occupancy early in April.

TOLD MISLEADING STORY ABOUT \$100,000 LOAN AT FALL'S REQUEST

Edward B. McLean Testifying Before Senate Oil Committee Contradicts First Story About Celebrated \$100,000 Loan to Albert B. Fall

WASHINGTON, March 12.—Edward B. McLean told the oil committee that he had given it misleading information about the celebrated \$100,000 loan because he trusted and desired to help his friend, Albert B. Fall. The publisher insisted that his second story about the loan, told to Senator Walsh in January at Palm Beach, Fla., was correct. He said he had loaned the former secretary \$100,000 in checks for a ranch enterprise, but that the checks were returned to him un-cashed. His previous assertion that the loan was made in cash, he said, was made at Fall's request. The latter appeared to be in trouble, he added, but had represented to him that it had nothing to do with oil.

H. F. McKenna Called
H. F. McKenna, chief doorkeeper at the White House executive offices was called before the oil committee today and questioned about a telegram he sent to Edward B. McLean in Florida, informing him of Secretary Stemp's departure for the south.

He said McLean had asked him to send such a notification and that Stemp had said it would be all right to do so.

E. W. Stalling of the White House secret service detail, who also had communicated with the publisher by telegram, followed McKenna on the stand.

Stalling testified that his message

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STOCK GAMBLING BY OFFICIALS

Effort to Determine if Government Officers Are Involved in Deals

Authority of Daugherty Investigating Committee Broadened

WASHINGTON, March 12.—With its authority broadened to enable individual members to subpoena witnesses and take testimony outside of Washington, the Daugherty investigating committee spread its net for information still wider today while winding up preparations for opening the inquiry into the attorney general's administration.

Reports linking the department of justice with alleged assistance by American oil interests to Mexican revolutionists remains the first subject on the committee's tentative program, but Senator Brookhart, republican, Iowa, the chairman, has disclosed that much emphasis will be placed on an effort to determine whether there has been "stock gambling" by higher officials.

Issuance of a subpoena for Elias H. Mortimer, the principal witness against former Director Forbes in the "Veterans" bureau, investigation has indicated another phase of the Daugherty inquiry, and Mr. Brookhart has let it be known that other "leads" have been received in the last few days which he and Senator Wheeler, democrat, Montana, who will act as "prosecutor" regard as "important."

The part played in department of justice affairs by Jesse Smith, friend of Attorney General Daugherty, who committed suicide a year ago in Mr. Daugherty's apartment house, will be highlighted in detail in the Senate Daugherty investigation.

Senator Wheeler, democrat, Montana, preparing the case for the committee announced that all telegrams sent and received by Smith at Columbus, Ohio, after the election of President Harding had been subpoenaed.

INDICTED FOR MURDER BY GRAND JURY

Frank Wilenski of Pepperell, alleged murderer of William Malinski at 12 Bent's court early last month, has been indicted by the grand jury for murder. Announcement of this effect was made in district court this morning when Wilenski's name was called. He was not in court, and the case was continued until formal notice of the indictment is received here.

WILL HOLD AUTO REPAIRING CLASS

John J. Gilder, instructor of the University extension class in auto repairing, said the usual Wednesday night session would be held at the high school tonight despite the adverse weather. The topic tonight will be "Battery Ignition Systems and Repairs."

SECOND DEATH IN TRAIN WRECK

Portland, Me. Man Injured When Boston-Montreal Express Was Derailed, Dead

Boston Nurse's Heroic Work, Despite Serious Injuries, Saved Many Lives

BURLINGTON, Vt., March 12.—Alexander Dornick, 37, of Portland, Me., died at Mary Fletcher hospital this noon following injuries to his back received in the wreck of the Central Vermont train No. 1, en route from Boston to Montreal, at North Duxbury, early Tuesday morning. Dornick's death brings the number of dead to two, the other being George W. Calmes, 54, of Burlington, who was killed instantly. Of the many others injured, all are expected to recover.

The condition of Gertrude Hayes, of South Boston, Mass., is not considered serious. She received painful, but not serious cuts, Lydia Laporte of Southbridge, Mass., badly cut about the head and operated on yesterday is likely to recover.

Ellen Masterson, a nurse, received a scalp wound six inches long and other injuries but will recover. Her heroic work, despite her injuries saved many lives, it is said.

LOWELL CASE FIRST OF ITS KIND IN STATE

The case of Building Inspector Francis A. Connor against Joseph Stoklosa, believed the first of its kind ever brought in the state, was argued yesterday before the full bench of the supreme court in City Solicitor Patrick J. Reynolds, representing Mr. Connor, and Attorney William D. Reagan, representing the defendant.

The questions at issue were the validity of the Lowell zoning ordinance and the constitutionality of the statutes. The case involves an attempt on the part of Stoklosa to erect a building for commercial purposes in High street in a district designated as "residential" by the zoning ordinance. The city claims the defendant did not get permission to build from the necessary number of property owners in the district.

As in all cases, the court reserved its decision.

MITCHELL RESIDENCE IN MANSUR STREET SOLD

The residence of William A. Mitchell in Mansur street has been purchased by Ames Stevens, now living at 427 Andover street and the Stevens home in turn has been purchased by Dudley L. Pace, who recently sold his Rogers street home. It was learned today that the money consideration in the transfer of the Mitchell property is said to be in the vicinity of \$22,000.

These coupled sales stand out prominently among the residential property transfers of recent months, particularly the sale of the Mitchell residence, which is especially well known.



ADMITS HER PERFECTIONS

Lily Leonhart (above in two poses), English vaudeville artist now in this country, claims her legs were much more beautiful than the million-dollar pair of Mlle. Mistinguett and that her back is prettier than Eva Tanguay's. That's what she says, so what's the use of mining words?

MERRIMACK SQ. COMING SOON
POLA NEGRI in
"SHADOWS OF PARIS"

LAST TIMES TONIGHT—THOMAS MEIGHAN IN "PIED PIPER MALONE," ALL STAR CAST IN "CAUSE FOR DIVORCE," COMEDY, NEWS AND THE BOSTON POST REEL. "THE ROMANCE OF COFFEE."

THURSDAY—FRIDAY—SATURDAY
A ROMANCE OF NEW YORK'S MAIN STREET

ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN
in **BROADWAY GOLD**



FRED THOMPSON in "NORTH OF NEVADA"
COMEDY, NEWS, BOSTON POST REEL

B.F. KEITH'S
AMUSEMENT CENTRE OF LOWELL

SCORING THE BIGGEST HIT OF THE SEASON
HARRY WEBB'S Orchestra
DESPITE THE BAD WEATHER YESTERDAY, CAPACITY AUDIENCES AT BOTH PERFORMANCES
BIG SURROUNDING PROGRAM

Laugh with BACKPACK EDDIE NELSON, BERT SHADOW and ELLIOT DEXTER in musical comedy hit "Wait a Minute," a surprise with JACK KENNEDY and EILEEN WARD, GARDNER and AUBREY in "A Few Minutes in Singland," SEVILLE and PHILLIPS in a vaudeville oddity, "Hunting," "THE LOVE HANDY" with DOLIS KENYON, the week's photoplay offering.

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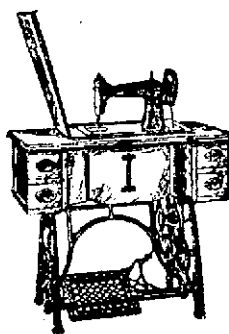


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Pair
All the new spring shades.
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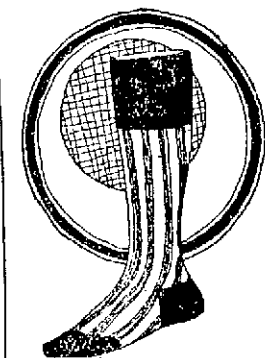
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9 models to choose from comprising both foot power and electric.

Basement

Reduction in Price
Men's Lisle
1-2 Socks
Black, Brown, Grey, Navy.



Now **29c** Pair

Thursday Morning Specials

BOYS' CLOTHING
Boys' School Pants, straight and bloomer style, sizes 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 15, 16, 17; regularly \$1.45 **\$1.00**
"Little Biddle" Suits, wash top, heavy poplin with jersey lined pants, sizes 2, 3, 4, 5; regularly \$4.95 value **\$2.95**
Corduroy Two Pant Suits, sizes 13, 16; Tweed two pant suits, sizes 10, 12, 16; pants lined; regularly \$9.95 **\$6.95**

Third Floor

KNIT UNDERWEAR
Women's Medium Weight Suits, bodice style, ankle length; regularly \$1.00 **49c**
Women's Swiss Rib Vests, regular and bodied style, extra sizes; regularly 50c to 60c **39c**

Street Floor

STATIONERY
Easter Stationery, a very attractive selection, at One-Half Regular Prices

Street Floor

SMALLWARES
Barbour's White Linen Thread, 100 yards on spool; regularly 10c **5c**
Common Pins; regularly 10c package, **2 for 15c**
Grosgrain Silk Seam Binding, black and white; regularly 25c **15c**
Ribbon Elastic, suitable for garter and arm bands, various colors; regularly 60c. Yard, **45c**

Street Floor

WASH GOODS
Assortment of 27 Inch Gingham, Duckling Fleece, Eden Flannel, to close at, yard **10c**

Street Floor

DOMESTICS
Pequot Sheets, \$1.00 **\$1.79**
Fruit of the Loom Pillow Cases—(factory ticket) —regular price 39c. 4 to a customer, **29c**

Street Floor

HOSIERY
Children's Wool Golf Socks, all sizes in the lot; were 85c to \$1.75 **39c**

Street Floor

DRAPERY DEPARTMENT
Squares, including silk mohair, velour, tapestry or damask; size 25x25 inch to 30x30 inch; regular price by the yard \$6.00 to \$8.00. Suitable for pillows, table covers or chair seats. Each **98c**
Terry Cloth, ends of pieces from 1 to 8 yards; reversible, suitable for overdrapes, couch covers, portieres, etc., 36 inches wide; regularly 95c yard. Yard **68c**
Cretone, 36 inches wide, good assortment of colors and patterns to select from; regular 25c **15c**
Ruffle Dotted Marquisette Curtains, good quality marquisette with small woven dots, good full ruffle to match; regular \$1.98 **\$1.25**

Third Floor

ART DEPARTMENT
White and Ecru Linen, 18, 22, 27 and 36 inches wide, short lengths only, suitable for scarfs and center pieces **Half Price**

Third Floor

JEWELRY
Dress Buckles, for coats and dresses, all colors; regularly 50c **39c**
Hat Ornaments, Rhinestone in all shapes, some black and white; regularly 30c **45c**
Religious Candles, one dozen candles with glass holder, red and blue; regularly 60c **49c**
Hair Pins, shell or amber, 3, 5, 8, in box, all shapes; regularly 10c box 3 boxes for **19c**

HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's All Linen Handkerchiefs; regularly 17c and 25c **12 1/2c**

TRIMMINGS

All-over Lace Flouncing; regularly \$1.08 yd., **\$1**

TOILET GOODS AND DRUGS
Lace Castle Soap; regularly 20c **3 for 45c**
Squibb's Dental Cream; regularly 43c **39c**
Colorite Hat Dye; regularly 23c **19c**
Pond's Cold Cream or Vanishing Cream; regularly 55c **49c**

SHOE DEPARTMENT

Women's Brown Oxfords, Queen Quality and other makes, many different patterns, but only a few sizes in any pattern; regularly \$5 to \$9 shoes **\$2.98**

Street Floor

LINENS
All Pure Linen Huck Towels, hemstitched; 50c and 60c **39c**

MEN'S FURNISHINGS
Semi-Soft Collars, "Long Beach," "Dial Beach," "Palm Beach," sizes 14, 15, 15 1/2, 16, 16 1/2; were 25c **10c**
Medium Weight Half Hose, for spring, silk and wool; were \$1 and \$1.50, **65c, 2 for \$1.25**
Boys' Shirts, sizes 12, 12 1/2, 13, 13 1/2; were \$1.00 **59c**

Street Floor

LEATHER GOODS
Beaded Bags, draw string top, in colors; regular \$2.00 **98c**

HOSIERY
Some Remarkable Bargains in Women's Hose—Silk and wool and wool. See counter display.

LEATHER GOODS
Hand Bags, envelope and pouch style in black, brown, or tan, some with mirror and purse; regularly \$2.00 **95c**

CORSET SHOP
R. & G. Corsets, elastic top model, white lace, sizes 22 to 26; regularly \$3.50 **\$2.19**

Second Floor

THE MOODY SCHOOL
Parent-Teacher Association Elects Officers—Reading of Constitution and By-Laws
The election of officers of the Moody school Parent-Teacher association was held yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the association which was largely

attended despite the uninviting weather. The reading of the constitution and by-laws was also on the afternoon's program.
Mrs. George Leahy was elected president of the association; Mrs. R. S. Glogston, first vice president; Miss Margaret Glogston, second vice president; Mrs. Charles A. Robinson, secretary; and Mrs. Charles M. Cunningham, treasurer.

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Wednesday and Thursday



"THE SILENT PARTNER"
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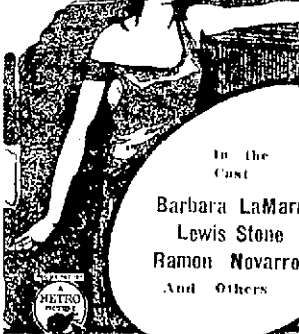


Pola Negri
"The Cheat"

JACK HOXIE in
"Men in the Raw"

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FRI.
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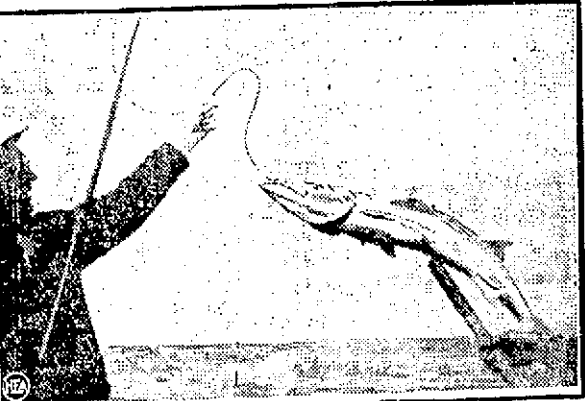
What Performances of

"THE SHEPHERD KING"

BIG ACTS

—AND—

PROFESSIONAL TRYOUTS



IT'S A BIG ONE!
N. Jerlaw of Chicago pulled this big barraonda, tiger of the sea, down at Long Key, Fla. The photographer was on hand when he did it.

COLLINSVILLE MAN REPORTED MISSING

A constant dweller of Collinsville is reported as missing from home and the police have been asked by his relatives to assist in learning his whereabouts. He left home Sunday noon and was last seen walking along Lakeview avenue in the direction of Lakeview park. He is said to be subject to spells of melancholy.

POOR CHILD, WHY ARE YOU SO THIN?

Don't your mother know that Cod Liver Oil will put pounds of good healthy flesh on your bones in just a few weeks?

Tell her over a druggist has it in sugar-coated tablet form now so that you won't have to take the nasty, fish-tasting oil that is apt to upset the stomach.

Tell her that Moxon's Cod Liver Oil Tablets are chock-full of vitamins and are the greatest flesh producers and health builders she can find.

One sickly, thin kid, aged 9, gained 12 pounds in 7 months.

She must ask Druggist's, Green's True Store, A. W. Jones, Fred Howard, or any good druggist for Moxon's Cod Liver Oil Tablets. 50 tablets, 60 cents as pleasant to take as candy.—Adv.

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AT THE HIGHLAND

UNION M. E. CHURCH

A three-act comedy entitled "Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard," musical selections by Mrs. Everett E. Jackson, and humorous selections by Rev. Mr. Jackson, made up a fine entertainment given at Highland Union M. E. church last night by the Epworth League. Candy and grab tables were minus.

conducted by the Misses Marion Smith, Doris Anderson and Doris Wadsworth.

The Committee which assisted Fred Wadsworth in making arrangements

for the play was composed of Rev. Mr. Jackson and the Misses Ene Harrison, Ethel Timmins and Mildred Johnson.

Those participating in the play were Ene Harrison, Ruth Harris, Ethel Timmins, Donald Collins, Harry Her-

win on behalf of the class as a token of appreciation of his untiring efforts in their behalf. The committee

in charge of the affair consisted of Thomas Kerwin and Harold Giffin.

TESTIMONIAL BANQUET

A testimonial banquet was tendered Stewart Mackay, instructor at the Lowell Textile school, in Marie's restaurant last night by members of his class in designing and cloth analysis.

Following the banquet a social gathering was enjoyed, and Mr. Mackay was presented a 22nd degree Masonic watch charm by Thomas Ker-

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WORKING FOR INDEPENDENCE

Photo shows some of the Filipinos who have been working for independence for the Philippine Islands. The house committee has favorably reported the Philippine bill. Commissioner Isaura Gabaldon (right) is shown holding one corner of the Philippine flag.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Richmond Kelley of Medford street, Somerville, brakeman, had a narrow escape from probable death yesterday morning shortly after 9 o'clock, when he fell between the cars of a moving freight train on the Stonybrook branch of the B. & M. railroad near Graniteville and received only minor bruises.

and arms. His condition is not considered serious. The brakeman has a wife and three children living in Somerville.

London has a population of seven and one-half millions.

A locomotive and two cars passed over the brakeman as he flattened himself out between the rails after he took his sudden plunge. He was taken to the Lowell General hospital, where an examination revealed that Kelley escaped with slight injuries to his spine and lacerations about the head.

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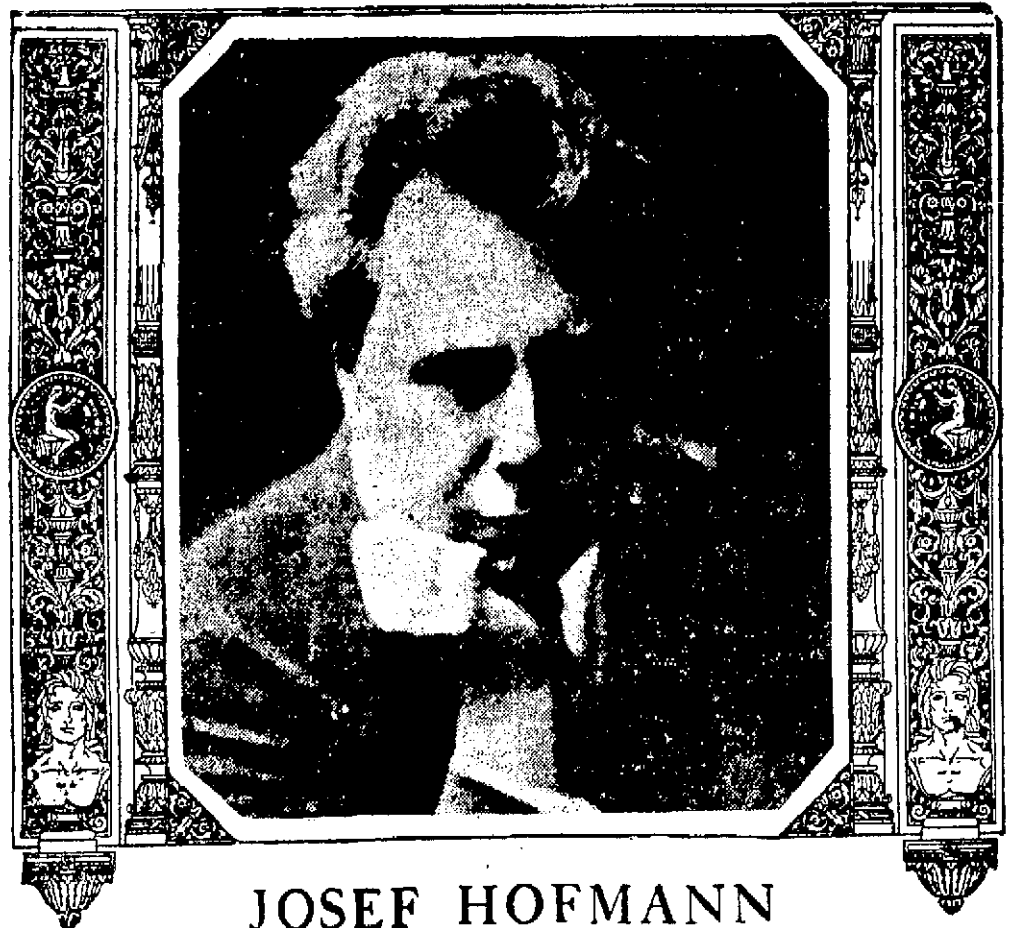
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Smoker and Entertainment
Gives Impetus to Fourth
Degree Exemplification

Under the auspices of Bishop Delany Assembly, Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus, a very enjoyable smoker and entertainment was held in K. of C. hall last night with the members of Lowell council, 72, as guests. The affair was conducted to give impetus to the exemplification of the fourth degree in the Memorial Auditorium on May 4.

Each of the above took occasion to refer to the proposed exemplification of the fourth degree, saying that the local affair on May 4 will surpass any similar function ever conducted by the order in this state. Mr. Casey gave a fine talk on the coming degree and was well received.

The entertainment program was given by a group of artists from Cambridge under the direction of District Deputy John C. Haverly. Thomas A. Quinn, the noted tenor of the University city, received a big hand. Other artists were Arthur Crowley, Joseph McDonald and Prof. Holt, the latter acting as accompanist. John P. Broderick of Lowell also assisted in the program.

District Deputy Haverly, a big fa-

vorite in Lowell, spoke happily on his visit. He told a few good stories and then urged Lowell council members to assist in putting across to a successful climax the big degree in May.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Mrs. Louis N. Olney Re-elected President of the Y. W. C. A.—Other Officers

At the annual meeting and election of the Y. W. C. A. yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Louis N. Olney was re-



MRS. LOUIS N. OLNEY
President

-elected president of the association. The meeting which was held in the reception room of the building in John street was largely attended despite the inclement weather.

The meeting opened with the reading

of prayers by Mrs. Olney after which the yearly reports of the International Institute, the physical education department, Girl Reserve report, financial report and general secretary's report were read.

The officers elected for the year were:

President, Mrs. Louis A. Olney; first vice president, Mrs. Arthur D. Wright; second vice president, Mrs. Nathan Pulster; secretary, Mrs. David Dewar; treasurer, Miss Mary G. Lamson.

The board of directors and the year in which their terms expire are as follows: Mrs. Joseph Barber (1925), Miss Helen Barnes (1926), Miss Elan A. Bradt (1926), Mrs. Charles (1925), (1926), Mrs. Walter L. Muzzey (1925), Miss Emily Skilton (1925), Mrs. John A. Stevens (1925), Mrs. Sumner Talbot (1925), Mrs. A. E. Taylor (1926), Mrs. George Upton (1925), Mrs. William I. Wiggin (1926), Mrs. Millard Wood (1926).

New directors elected to fill unexpired terms were Mrs. W. E. Hatch, Mrs. Charles Upton, Miss Louise Grover and Mrs. Lewis Putnam.

New directors elected to fill three-year terms were Mrs. E. D. Holdon, Mrs. D. L. Page, Mrs. Forrest Marshall, Mrs. Willard A. Parker, Mrs. W. Blake Irvine, Miss Helen Buttrick and Mrs. George F. Sturtevant.

The secretary's report read by Miss Anna Baker, general secretary, was most comprehensive including a report of the employment and rooms registry, the number of rooms occu-

pled, home activities, religious activities, domestic and social classes sponsored by the various branches of the Y. W. C. A., physical education department, under which came indoor and outdoor sports and camp activities, cafeteria receipts, International

Institute activities, special events, community contacts, meetings in the association rooms and national board visitors.

Following the business session refreshments were served, Mrs. Olney acting as hostess. Mrs. George T. Upton was in charge of the serving.

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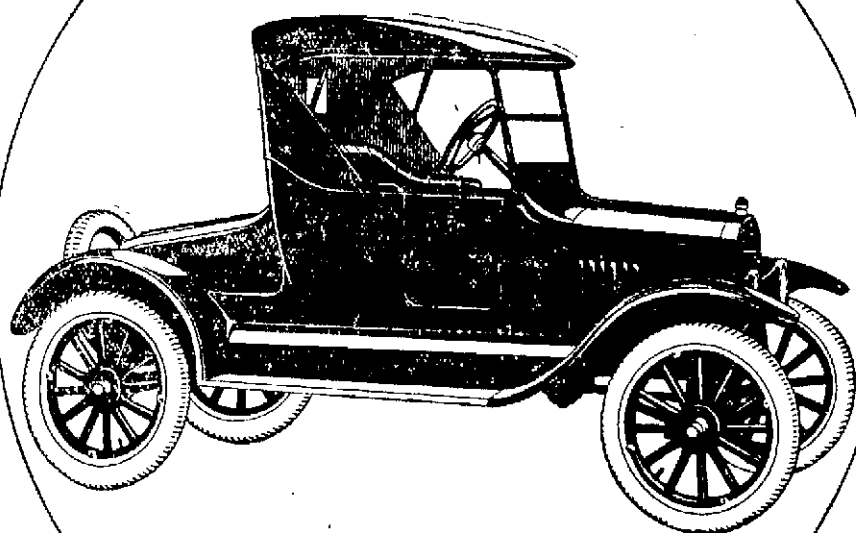
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EXTERIOR VIEW OF THE NEW ENTERPRISE BUILDING



The new Enterprise building, 25 Shopping Center Under One Roof—located at 27 Central street, corner of Market, one of Lowell's most attractive mercantile districts, is commanding the attention of thousands of discerning people today. Business representatives, thoughtful for all things that go to make up a city's prosperity and increase that prosperity, are visiting this new mart of trade and professions in the heart of Lowell and praising the usefulness it offers to public patronage.

The presentation of an ideal building equipped for various business purposes, running from specialty stores and showrooms, to private offices and merchandising rooms, to meet new demands of popular trade and patronage of traders, is something worth while in the present. It is worth while, though, to mention in mind that architect and builder made the new Enterprise building on Central street one of Lowell's most complete and attractive office buildings and shopping centers combined.

For many years the frame of this newly-reconstructed and greatly enlarged business block in the heart of Lowell was known to mercantile and real estate circles as the Mansur block. It will in the future be known as the Enterprise building.

After several months of remodeling the old Mansur structure, the Central Automobile Tire company, its present owner, has opened the property completely reconstructed on each of its spacious four floors, for the inspection of the public and prospective tenants. Stores and offices provided in this modern setting of the increase

WOODWORK FROM
DAVIS AND SARGENT

The Davis & Sargent Lumber Co. of Lowell provided all of the woodwork, doors, sash and the like which went into the new Enterprise building. The inspection of the building will reveal the quality of the work and show that local concern is capable of putting out and providing an insight into the reasons contributing to its remarkable growth.

The Davis & Sargent concern is widely known in Lowell and specialties in such material, always insuring capable workmanship, proper materials and prompt deliveries.

PLASTERING DONE BY
MATTHIAS F. CONNOR

Matthias F. Connor of Lowell was entrusted with the plastering of the new Enterprise building. His concern has been established a reputation in this line of construction and he made no introduction to Lowell people. His organization is well fitted to handle such big jobs as this one proved to be. This is only one of many such undertakings it has handled. Mr. Connor is ready to submit his work on such undertakings always guaranteeing the highest satisfaction.

ones are of the most luxurious design and up-to-date equipment. The plan adopted for the new building is Lowell's Shopping Center Under One Roof.

The property is one of the oldest commercial buildings in Lowell and was purchased last May from the Nesmith estate by the Central Automobile Tire company, which is owned by the following brothers: Charles M. Padgugsky, senior member and treasurer; Louis and Harry Rudelinsky. Although the head of the concern is only 49 years old, he prides himself on having been engaged in business for 29 years out of the 49.

The three business brothers started the Central Automobile Tire company 15 years ago. The company now operates 14 stores in 12 New England cities, with headquarters in Boston. The stock in trade consists of automobile tires and tubes only, and their low prices come from purchasing entire outputs of large factories, enabling them to offer to the trade money's saving values in quality products at all times.

The tire company's purchase of the Mansur block was for investment solely. Walter E. Guyette, local real estate operator, will be the company's agent, as he was the agent for the transfer of the Mansur block late last May.

The building has been thoroughly overhauled with entirely new interior construction from top to bottom. It was first erected by Aaron Mansur on the site of an old saw mill in 1824, and was remodelled about 10 years ago, when the Mansur estate was divided between the Nesmith and Mason heirs. The York club once had its quarters there, and 70 years ago William P. Brazier established a store

where Dickerman & McQuade are now located.

The new Enterprise building has a new entrance and commodious lobby of great beauty and artistic finish. Much of the marble used came from Italian quarries. The color is brown, revealing with remarkable warmth and rich attractiveness, as visitors to the new lobby will see.

There are three stories on the ground level. The second floor contains five stores. The corridors are here lined with Italian marble also a mark of real aristocracy, as it were. Glass hand doors open into every store and office. The third and fourth floors are for offices only, and there are 27 in all, finished with the finest of up-to-date conveniences. Hot and cold water is provided in each office, there are brand new toilets and modern elevator service to the top floor.

A feature of the new store and office building is that one key owned by a tenant will open the front door of the building, the private office door and the toilet doors. Separate toilets for both men and women are provided.

New electric lamps, vacuum-cleaners and other necessary modern devices are installed in the building throughout. Windows are made large enough to provide plenty of light in each store and office. In short, Lowell has a new combination mercantile establishment and office building to be proud of, thanks to wide awake, bustling new ownership that hopes in building well for the future years.

The Virgin Islands, acquired by the United States March 3, 1917, have an area of 112 square miles and a population of 20,000.

HEW CONSTRUCTION CO.
GENERAL CONTRACTOR

The general contractor in charge of the reconstruction of the Mansur block to be known hereafter as the Enterprise building, is the Hew Construction Co., of 197 Sidney street, Cambridge, of which Murray Weiss is the proprietor and engineer. Mr. Weiss was also in charge of the recently remodelled Merrimack Square theatre—in fact he has direct supervision of all building of such nature undertaken by the Famous-Playe-Lasky Corp., one of the largest film producers and theatre operating concerns.

Mr. Weiss' concern is equipped in every respect to handle all kinds of buildings, including mill construction. Its organization is especially framed with that idea constantly in mind and the buildings which it has erected stand as monuments to the proficiency which the concern has attained.

The Enterprise building is an example of the honest construction which the Hew company always does. Its reputation is such that nothing is left undone so that tends to keep it up. Mr. Weiss gave the Enterprise building his personal attention with that end in view. A meticulous observance of the terms of the specifications is the basis on which he operates.

GUYETTE IN CHARGE
OF NEW BUILDING

A new business block in every respect, the Enterprise Building, for many years known as the Mansur Block, is to be thrown open to the public today for inspection. The building will be in the charge of Walter E. Guyette, veteran real estate man, to whom application for rentals should be directed. Mr. Guyette has been chosen by the owners to handle this important adjunct to Lowell's business buildings as a result of his many years of experience in that line of business and because of the confidence with which he is regarded by the public of Lowell.

Mr. Guyette has followed the development of the building since its reconstruction was undertaken some time ago and his advice has been sought as to the lines which that reconstruction should follow. The addition of this important piece of realty to the holdings already entrusted to the care of Mr. Guyette's office places a heavy portion of Lowell's business in his charge.

In addition to his extensive real estate business, Mr. Guyette is also an auctioneer of note and has handled numerous large sales with a high degree of success, principally general real estate and mill properties. General insurance is also handled by his office.

Doctors Didn't Help
Her Sickly Child

Is Strong and Healthy Now.
Mother Says Milk's Emulsion
Saved Its Life.

"Last May my three year-old babe was taken very ill, got so bad that we expected her to die at any time. Had four doctors but they did not know what ailed her and finally stopped coming. She had been sick about 5 months when I started giving her Milk's Emulsion. I noticed results from the first and by the time she had taken two bottles she was absolutely strong and healthy. I am thankful to say Milk's Emulsion saved her life." Mrs. Willis S. Pate, Nacogdoches, Texas.

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DAUGHTERS OF VETERANS
HOLD CELEBRATION

Members of Mary E. Smith Tent No. 23, Daughters of Veterans, last evening celebrated in Memorial hall the twenty-third anniversary of the organization. It was one of the happiest social events of the season in D. of V. circles. Guests of the local tent included members of Mrs. John E. Johnson of Tent 25, Lawrence, who were delighted with the entertainment provided partly in their honor.

The committee handling last night's social included Helen Smith, Florence Gray, Mrs. Arline Audrey and Miss Alice Tobin.

In the afternoon, members of the Lowell tent gathered to play whist. Prizes were won as follows: First, Margaret Ruesse; second, Mrs. Grace Tobin; third, Louise Davis; fourth, Mary E. Smith; Miss Hattie Whitney received the consolation. Before the evening social, the tent members held a routine business meeting. Miss Whitney acting in the absence of the regular chaplain and Mrs. Josephine Douglas, president, handling the game.

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It takes a pile of hardware to equip a building of the magnitude of the Enterprise building. There are door knobs and locks, window locks and a thousand other things in the hardware line which the layman can scarcely

enumerate. All of such equipment which went into this newest of Lowell business structures was supplied by an old Lowell firm, the Thompson Hardware Co., which has done business here for years on end and which enjoy the fullest confidence of the Lowell public. This firm carries the stock necessary to undertake the equipment of such construction jobs as the Enterprise building.

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RELIEF CAMPAIGN FOR GERMAN CHILDREN

The first step in the 'Lowell' campaign for the relief of German children will be a thorough explanation of the needs of the children given by those who have a thorough knowledge of conditions there. For this purpose



PERRY D. THOMPSON
Chairman

a luncheon is to be given tomorrow noon at 12:15 o'clock at Liberty hall, to which have been invited a number of the leading citizens of the city. The Lowell committee which is sponsoring the movement in Lowell is headed by Hon. Perry D. Thompson, as chairman, and the following members: William T. Sheppard, W. N. Goodell, Abel R. Campbell, Charles L. Warren, Harry C. Fildard, Dr. Daniel J. Kolesher, Josiah Butler, Donald Cameron, Dr. John H. Lambert, Ivan O. Small.

The principal speaker will be Professor Henry J. Cadbury of Harvard, who toured Germany at the request of the American Friends committee (Quakers), which is distributing the relief secured in this country by Maj. Gen. Henry T. Allen's nationwide committee. Accompanying Professor Cadbury will be Leslie W. Sprague, the New England director, who will also

probably make a few brief remarks on the progress of the work here in New England. Supporting Mr. Sprague in the New England campaign are: Geo. L. Crozman, Ellis Loring Drexel, Dr. Charles W. Elliot, Edward A. Filten, Dr. Harry A. Garfield, Ralph Horblower, His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell.

The world knows of the unspeakable and efficient service the Quakers rendered in Germany immediately following the armistice. Supported by Herbert Hoover's committee, whose funds they handled in Germany, they fed as many as 1,019,000 at one time. When conditions became better, they withdrew.

Now the situation is far more frightful than ever before. The German government has appealed to the friends to come back and help them.

The distribution of food in Germany and the expenditure of funds collected by the American committee for the relief of German children is entirely in the hands of Quakers. Every cent of every dollar contributed goes directly for the relief of starving German children. Expenses of administration and operation is taken care of by the Quakers independently of funds collected for food.

LOCAL BUSINESS WOMEN

Lowell Business Women's Club Furns Temporary Organization

Temporary organization of the Lowell Business Women's club was effected at Cole's Inn last night at a luncheon gathering of 64 of the city's leading business and professional women. Edward J. Cooney opened the meeting, Mrs. Rose Jordan, Hartford, being elected temporary chairman and Miss Mabelle Whitlock secretary.

Speakers in addition to Mr. Cooney were Benjamin S. Pouzner, ex-Mayor James B. Casey, Daniel F. Carroll, Paul J. Nevery and William Holger.

A representative committee of nine was chosen to perfect organization, draw up constitution and by-laws and arrange for another meeting to be held in two weeks. The temporary officers will serve ex-officio on this committee and the other members are Miss Emily P. Skilton, Mrs. Bromley Shepard, Miss Mary Matthews, Miss Lillie S. Cutler, Dr. Laura B. Dean, Miss Eleanor Rivet, Mrs. Mary C. Hall, Mrs. Lemkin and Mrs. McCreann.

The adoption of a permanent name, the matter of a program of work and other incidents were taken up at the meeting of the committee which followed the session. Those present last night were all enthused at the prospects of success of the club and every indication pointed to a successful launching of the organization.

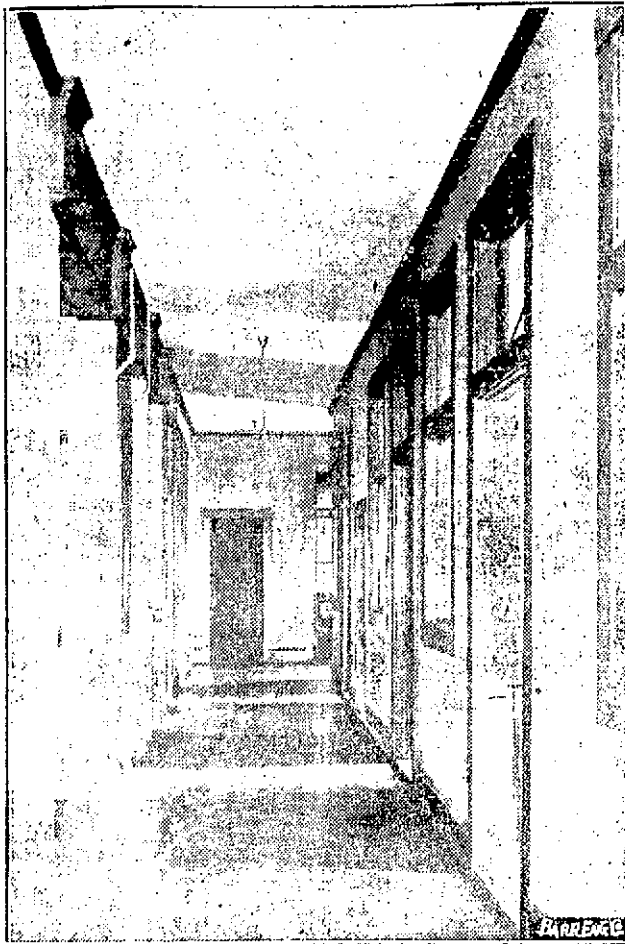
Mr. Pouzner was the principal speaker of the evening and in his talk he urged the new organization to move ahead slowly and to plan its program well ahead of the time being made. He pointed out that the new organization has a wide field of usefulness before it and said that the need of such an organization was proven by the magnificent turnout despite the inclement weather. Mr. Pouzner told of many pitfalls to be avoided and his constructive suggestions were enthusiastically received.

Those present not mentioned above were: Katherine MacKinnon, Mrs. Gillman, Mrs. Mary Dunlap Leighton, Mrs. Foster Brown, Miss Ann Baker, Mrs. J. N. Cole, Miss L. B. Bower, Mrs. Brock, Misses A. Wallace, Florence A. Minor, Nellie Tully, Mary Lane, Sadie Tully, Mrs. Jessie A. Howe, Mrs. Nap Ladner, Misses Nichols, Emma M. Wells, Mrs. J. B. Quimby, Misses Maudie Plumstead, Katherine Blennerhassett, Edna Briggs, Jessie Fitzgerald, Susie Thorpe, Fern Graden, B. B. McKinnon, Sally Fitzpatrick, Mrs. James H. Flood, Miss Emily Skilton, Mrs. James A. Bearn, Mrs. Lovett, Mrs. James B. Casey, Misses Elizabeth Rogers, Julia A. Rogers, Irene Matthews, Miss Mallowell, Mrs. Lemkin, Mrs. Way, Mrs. Walter Mrs. Lemkin, Mrs. Way, Mrs. Walter Damon, Misses Eva A. Dupont, Eisle Lequin, Mrs. Prentiss, Miss Leona Small, Mrs. T. J. McCreann, Misses Katherine P. O'Brien, B. T. Cryan, Helen C. Bradley, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Helen M. Knapp, Mrs. Humphreys, Miss Margaret Bear, Mrs. N. J. Pichets and Mrs. Hall.

Mrs. Hartford announced the following committee on organization: Rose Jordan Hartford, Mabelle F. Whitlock, Mrs. Helen Knapp, Miss Ann Baker, Emily Skilton, Eleanor Rivet, Dr. Laura B. Dean, Lillie S. Cutler, Irene Matthews, Mrs. Lemkin, Mrs. McCreann, Miss Ann Baker, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Bromley Shepard.

ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT CONCERT
At a meeting in Y.M.C.A. hall last night, Martin Conley, hall committee chairman of the St. Patrick's night concert in the Memorial Auditorium, announced that a beautiful souvenir will be presented to every person entering the hall on the occasion of the big affair on the night of March 17.

The United States has 13 first line battleships.



VIEW OF THE MAIN CORRIDOR IN THE ENTERPRISE BUILDING

PRODUCERS DISCUSS MILK PRICE CUTS

The district meeting of the New England Milk Producers' association, held yesterday afternoon in Odd Fellows' hall, Bridge street, called out a large attendance of members from this section of Middlesex county, anxious to discuss milk price cuts, outside competition matters and the wholesale and retail business in general. More than 50 milk farmers from Lowell and suburban towns were there. Arthur W. Colburn of Braintree presided at the rally and District Manager Leon Brown came down from Lawrence to take a prominent part in the discussions. The meeting was not open to the public.

Milk producers are complaining that the present price of milk does not allow them to make any real profits and they fear that they will have to sell their cows and give up the business altogether. No plans were outlined yesterday to relieve this situation, so far as could be learned.

Melvin F. Master, local milk inspector, appeared before the members and told of the methods employed to maintain local milk standards. He was pledged strong support in his efforts to obtain for Lowell consumers quality milk at all times. The sales committee of the producers was given authority to continue its investigation of the present situation in the milk-distributing industry and report at a later meeting.

HELD SEWING MEETING

The all-day sewing meeting of the Lowell General Hospital Aid association held at the Grace Universalist church yesterday was well attended and at the meeting following the sewing section it was announced that 260 finished articles were turned in for the month. The women of the church entertained the members of the association. The meeting next month will be held at St. Anne's parish house.

DINNER AND SHOWER
A dinner and shower was tendered Mrs. May Hopper at North Chelmsford in Marie's restaurant last evening by a group of 30 of her friends. Dinner was served in a private dining room in the restaurant at 8 o'clock. Following dinner a musical entertainment was given and Mrs. Hopper was presented a set of dishes by Mrs. John Hoyt on behalf of the women present. Mrs. Hopper is to become the bride of Sidney Cooper of North Chelmsford on April 20. The affair was in charge of Mrs. James Noye.

PILGRIM ENCAMPMENT
Pilgrim Encampment, I.O.O.F., held its regular meeting Monday evening and considerable routine business was transacted. Following the business meeting, a rehearsal for the royal purple degree was held. Lawrence Encampment will be the guest of the local encampment on March 21 and the royal purple degree will be conferred on a large class consisting of members of both Lawrence and Pilgrim Encampments.

CHIMNEY FIRE

A chimney fire at 30 Appleton street was responsible for a telephone alarm

at 12:30 o'clock this morning. The fire was extinguished without any difficulty and the damage was slight.

VISITORS FROM FRAMINGHAM
Several students of the vocational course at the Framingham State Normal school, senior members, attended the household arts exhibition being conducted at the girls' Vocational school. They were the guests of the local girls at lunch. The party under the direction of Miss Edna Sturtevant, resident supervisor in charge of the school, included Miss Kathleen Hogan of this city who will be graduated from the Framingham Normal school in June.

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Mr. E. Shain of Santa Cruz, Cal., writes to the Tyrrell Hygienic Institute of New York, as follows: "My wife and I will be 75 years young next birthday and consider that the J. B. L. Cascade has given us a new lease of life, for we now enjoy the best of health. We were going down hill fast, but the Cascade has given us such health as we have not enjoyed in years."

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POPE MAKES APPEAL

Asks Premier MacDonald to Intercede in Favor of Catholic Clergy in Russia

LONDON, March 12.—Pope Pius, according to the Daily Telegraph, has asked Premier MacDonald to intercede with the Soviet government in favor of the Catholic clergy imprisoned in Russia. The paper says the Holiness thinks that the British, having recognized the Bolsheviks de jure, are in a position to take the desired step and, as the panel missions sent to Moscow on behalf of the prisoners have been unsuccessful, hopes that during the coming Anglo-Russian conference Premier MacDonald will find an opportunity thus "to serve the cause of charity and humanity."

Reconciliation Impending
LONDON, March 12.—The story featured by The Daily Express to the effect that a formal reconciliation is impending between the Vatican and the Italian government, is apparently the latest version of a report which had gained currency somewhat frequently in recent years.

Improvement in the relations between the Vatican and the Quirinal has been sometimes reported and the reconciliation prediction was made after the election of Pope Pius XI and again when Premier Mussolini took over the reins of government.

Told Misleading Story

related to the employment of R. D. Williams of Hopkinsville, Ky., in the McLean household, Williams, Stirling said, was his life-long friend.

The committee then called E. W. Smithers, chief of communications at the White House, who operated the Washington end of McLean's private wire to Palm Beach.

Smithers declared his duties were "purely mechanical" that he paid no attention to the subject matter of the messages handled.

Calls Edward B. McLean
WASHINGTON, March 12.—Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post, whose relations with Albert R. Fall have been under investigation for several weeks, was called personally today before the oil committee.

In addition, three White House attaches were summoned for questioning about references to them in the McLean wire correspondence relation to the inquiry.

The resignation of Senator Leonard, republican, Wisconsin, as chairman of the committee, is expected to have no effect on the investigation which is practically under the direction of Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, Senator Lord of North Dakota, a republican member of the committee, who is identified with the La Follette group, is to be named formally to succeed Senator Leonard, by the republican committee on committees.

The White House attaches called today were H. E. McKenna, chief clerk-keeper at the executive offices, E. W. Stirling, of the secret service staff, and E. W. Smithers, chief of communications. Smithers was employed by McLean after his regular hours at the White House to man the Washington end of the leased wire between the Washington Post and the publisher's cottage at Palm Beach.

Seven Lives Lost in Storm

fighting high tides in the dangerous bay channels. Small craft, however, were kept generally to shore.

Virginia received the heaviest blow yesterday and for hours the state was cut off from the world.

Damages in Salem
SALEM, March 12.—The main damage from the storm locally is to telephone wires in the suburbs. Many poles with their wires are down. Damage is the worst but in this respect, some 50 miles being reported killed. Storm train traffic is but little delayed, the train from Bangor to Boston, due here at 4:10, being late ten minutes into. Street car traffic is maintained, although not on schedule, but all lines are reported as open. From Baker's Island, Light-keeper Albert A. Payne reports the storm as the worst in three years.

Wire Service Demoralized

DANIELSON, Conn., March 12.—The worst demoralization of wire service in years resulted from last night's wind and snow storm. About one foot of snow fell on the level, and in some places on the Providence-Danielson state highway drifts of nine feet deep have blocked traffic. State highway department plows and gangs were busy this morning, digging out the roads.

Northeastern Connecticut was practically without telephone service this morning and electric light and high tension power wires are reported down in all directions.

Storm Warning

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The weather bureau today issued this storm warning:

Advisory 10 a. m. northwest storm wave continued Virginia Capes to Savannah, and warnings changed to northwest north of Virginia Capes to Eastern. No disturbance some distance east of Cape Cod and advancing east-northeastward.

New England Hit Hard

BOSTON, March 12.—The storm which swept New England yesterday and last night continued this morning but the weather bureau predicted that it would probably abate during the day. The wind velocity reached its highest at 42 miles an hour and four inches of snow fell in Boston and vicinity. The railroad reported that train service was nearly normal.

Emergency forces from telephone and telegraph companies were still hard at work repairing broken lines and reestablishing connections. Bad conditions were reported in the Berkshire Hills section of this state and in Vermont.

When you can make in your own home a wonderful cough mixture far ahead of any you can buy ready made, why not do it?

This home made mixture will stop the most stubborn cough and is fine for colds, croup and acute catarrh. Children love it.

Get from any druggist one ounce of Parmit (double strength) to this add a little granulated sugar and enough water to make half a pint—that's all there is to it.

Like a nothing, healing parmit is a costly substance in this home made cough mixture spreads itself completely over the membrane of the throat, partially or wholly is bound to be of benefit to those who are troubled with hard hoarseness and catarrhal deafness. Get Parmit and get better—Adv.

SACO-LOWELL CO.

PAYS DIVIDEND

Saco-Lowell shops have declared a quarterly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. on the first preferred stock, payable April 1, in stock of record March 20. Robert Amory, of Boston, and Guy O. Hunter, of New York, have been added to the board of directors.

The balance sheet of the company as of Dec. 31, 1923, superseding preliminary statement issued by the company in January when common dividend was passed, is as follows:

Assets: Plant, \$7,755,519; notes and accounts receivable, \$3,509,625; saleable securities, \$357,990; inventory, \$2,857,605; prepaid items, \$161,000; cash, \$1,020,400; total, \$15,501,134.

Liabilities: Capital stock, \$9,151,300; notes payable, \$1,215,000; accounts payable, \$295,571; general reserve, \$227,332; surplus, \$1,769,517; total, \$12,358,720.

REPORT OF AUTOPSY IN O'KEEFE DEATH
The death of Timothy T. O'Keefe, which occurred Sunday at St. John's hospital, is attributed by Medical Examiner Marshall L. Atkin in his autopsy report to the police as due to injuries sustained in an unknown manner. Whether an inquest will be held in this case is not known at the present time by the medical examiner.

The police investigation of the accident which resulted in Mr. O'Keefe's death has as yet borne no fruit, but Supt. Atkinson hopes that witnesses of the accident will be located within a few days who will be able to throw some light upon the identity of the automobile which caused the fatal injuries.

HAROLD F. CONGDON

ELECTED SELECTMAN

The Salisbury town election yesterday proved that the voters of that municipality have faith in Harold F. Congdon, who was chosen as selectman. As chief of police, Mr. Congdon was discharged here recently by U. S. Commissioner Walsh when arraigned charged with conspiracy and complicity with run-running activities there.

PIMPLES ON FACE AND BODY
Came To A Head and Itched. Cuticura Heals.

"My trouble began about a year ago when my face and body broke out in pimples which caused much itching and distress. The pimples were small and came to a head. They itched at times causing me to scratch and irritate the skin."

"I was advised to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample. It helped me a great deal. I chased more, and after using about five cakes of Cuticura Soap and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment I was healed." (Signed) Frederick B. Studley, 13 Russell St., Charlestown, Mass., Aug. 30, 1923.

Use Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum for all toilet purposes.

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The Sun has by far the largest circulation of any Lowell paper. Ninety per cent of Sun readers do not read any other Lowell newspaper. See the point, Mr. Advertiser?

THURSDAY SPECIALS

Toilet Goods

Leavitt's Cream, Reg. price 50c, Thursday Special, 35c
Roulette Compact Powder, Reg. price \$1.00, Thursday Special, 75c
Nidolax, Reg. price 50c, Thursday Special, 35c
Luxurite Nail Polish, Reg. price 25c, Thursday Special, 15c
Ottavia Shampoo, Reg. price 50c, Thursday Special, 35c
Coty's Chypre Perfume, Reg. price \$2.00, Thursday Special, \$2.00
On Air Embayme Sachet, Reg. price \$1.50, Thursday Special, \$1.15
Incense Powder and Cream, Scented, Wisteria, Pine, Reg. price 50c, Thursday Special, 35c
Flour Street

Gloves

Women's Strap Wrist Fabric Gloves, with embroidered cuff and tucked cuffs, Reg. price \$1.75 to \$2.25, Thursday Special \$1
Women's Fabric Gloves, in 12-button lengths, strap wrist knuckle, also 2-clasp gloves, Reg. price \$1.00 to \$1.50, Thursday Special 50c Street Floor

Infants' and Children's Section

Infants' Vests, of fine ribbed jersey, wrapper style, sizes, infants to 2 years, Thursday Special \$1.55
Diapers—Hemmed, one dozen Diapers in package, 27x37, Thursday Special \$2.25 pkc.
Cotton Sheets—36x52, hem-stitched, hem, Thursday Special 95c
Pillow Cases—Hemstitched, hem, Thursday Special 49c
Infants' Long Slips, of soft white cotton, with dainty lace edging at neck and sleeves, infants' sizes only, Thursday Special 55c Third Floor

Blouses

English Broadcloth Blouses—White, with tan-truck front, either plain or embroidered trimmed, some have lace edging round or V neck, sizes 36 to 46, Reg. Price \$2.95 each, Thursday Special, \$1.95

Sweaters

Novelty Slippers, in combination colors, border design around edge of sweater, also on cuffs, round neck sizes 56 to 14; colors, grey, navy, brown, Reg. price \$2.50, Thursday Special \$1.95 Second Floor

Cut Glass

Table Tumblers, with fancy fluted base and double banded top, Thursday Special 25c Doz. Street Floor

Sheets and Pillow Cases

12x36-2 Pillow Cases to Match, These cases are made the right way of the best quality cotton, regular price \$2.00, Thursday Special, 50c Each

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The Store for Thrifty People

Ready-to-Wear Section

\$1.50 Fur Trimmed Winter Coats, Misses' and Women's sizes, Thursday Special \$10.00
\$2.50 Beaver Trimmed Coats, brown, Thursday Special, \$24.75
\$25.50 Mixture Coats, grey, tan, brown, Thursday Special, \$10.00
\$14.75 Checked Flannel Dresses, mixed sizes, Thursday Special, \$10.00
\$5.00 Girls' Wool Serge Dresses, sized to 11, Thursday Special, \$1.00
\$7.50 Girls' Wool Crepe Dresses, sized to 12, Thursday Special, \$2.35
\$5.00 Wrap-Around Skirts, mixtures, Thursday Special \$1.95
\$1.30 Mantelists' White All-over Wrens, Thursday Special \$1.00
\$1.05 Cotton Taffeta Petticoats, colors and black, Thursday Special \$1.00
\$3.95 Taffeta Petticoats, navy and black, Thursday Special \$1.40 Second Floor

Linen Section

Turkish Towels, with fancy Jacquard borders, square for monograms, silk borders, in blue, pink, gold, and lavender. One of very finest Terry. Reg. price 35c, Thursday Special 60c Each
White Linen, 36 in. All white linen suitable for table and embroidery, dress, trimming and for underwear purposes. Warranted pure flax. Fine weave. Reg. price \$1.10 yard, Thursday Special 80c Yard
Glass Towelling—All linen glass, towelling of fine weave and good weight. This is an exceptionally good towelling but only red checks could be had. Reg. price 35c yard, Thursday Special 25c Yard
Linen Damasks—70 in. Very fine linen damask, made from selected long flax. Yarns that insure its long life and prevent it from fading. An excellent damask for general satisfaction. Reg. price \$2.75 yard, Thursday Special \$2.10 yard Palmer Street Store

Hand Bags of Leather and Beads

Velvet, Pin Seal and Calf Skin Punch Bags, metal and covered frames, attached or separate purse. Regular price, \$1.00, Thursday Special, \$1.95
Punch Bags, in black and brown, metal frames, with purse and mirror. Regular price, \$2.00, Thursday Special \$1.19
Beaded Bags, draw string style, in combinations of colors, Regular price \$5.00 and \$6.00, Thursday Special \$2.00 Street Floor

Wash Goods Dept.

Norwandy Vette and Vette in Swiss, 40 in. wide. This is a block cut effect, with pretty patterns and plain dots in all the new colored grounds. Reg. price 60c yard, Thursday Special 40c Yard
Long Cloth, 36 in. wide, good quality soft finish. Reg. price 25c yard, 10 yds. to the piece, Thursday Special, \$1.00 Piece
SILK Stripe Shirting, 32 inches wide, in a good assortment of colored stripes, Reg. price 55c yd, Thursday Special 30c Yard Palmer Street Store

Corsets

By and P. N. Corsets, discontinued models and broken sizes. Reg. price \$2.00 and \$3.00, Thursday Special \$1.00
Closed Back Girdle Corsets, regular price \$2.50 and \$3.00, Thursday Special \$1.00 and \$2.50 Street Floor

Rug and Drapery Section

Huffed Curtains, heavy, highly ornamented, marquisette, with hemstitched band and tie-backs; regular price \$1.75 pair, Thursday Special \$1.25
Huffed Curtains, cross-bar marquisette, in two styles, with tie-backs; regular price \$1.75 pair, Thursday Special \$1.25
Dutch Huffed Curtains, of fine voile, comprising one pair each, one pair with tie-backs, for kitchen, dining room and bath room, 15-plate set; regular price \$2.50 set, Thursday Special, \$2.00
Heavy Two-PLY Serim Drawn-Work Curtains, in different styles, regular price \$3.75 pair, Thursday Special \$2.95
Fringed Curtains, of heavy Tussan voile, natural color, used as hotel or public, regular price \$6.00 pair, Thursday Special \$5.00
Heavy Double Horizontal Serim and Marquisette, in white, some cream and Avon, 36 to 48 inches wide; regular price 50c yard, Thursday Special 40c yard, Thursday Special \$3.00
Terry Cloth, new patterns and colors, reversible, for overcoats, portieres, pillows, etc.; regular price \$1.25 yard, Thursday Special \$1.00
50-Inch Leatherette, in blue, brown, Spanish and red, for upholstery; regular price \$2.95 yard, Thursday Special \$2.00
50-Inch Tapestry, for upholstery furniture; also for pillow tops and table runners; regular price \$2.50 to \$3.50 yard, Thursday Special \$2.00 to \$3.00
Tabourettes, for plant stands, in three styles, finished, framed, unframed, regular price 30c, Thursday Special 20c
Regular price \$1.19, Thursday Special \$1.00
41-2 Velvet Seamless Rugs, perfect, only three patterns; regular price \$3.00, Thursday Special \$2.50
New Lot of Jute Velvet, State Corsets, also used for hall runners. 11 different patterns and colors to select from; regular price \$1.75 yard, Thursday Special \$1.49
Heavyest Grade Vesterberg Rugs, slightly imperfect, latest patterns and colors
27x31, regular price \$9.50, Thursday Special \$8.00
36x72, regular price \$15.00, Thursday Special \$12.50

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KITCHEN FURNISHINGS SECTION

Garbage Cans, 6 1/2 gallon size, with deep fitting covers; value \$1.25, Thursday Special, 80c
Chips, washing clothes without rubbing and boiling, large size package, Thursday Special, 25c
Grey Enamel Convex Kettles, 10 quart size, value \$1.25, Thursday Special \$1.00
Sunbrite, Cleanser, Thursday Special \$1.00 4 Cans 15c
Arrow Borax Soap, Thursday Special \$1.00 4 Cakes 25c
Grey Enamel Water Pails, 12 quart size, value \$1.10, Thursday Special \$1.00
White Enamel Foot Tubs, value \$2.10, Thursday Special, \$1.70

MEN'S FURNISHINGS SECTION

Men's Bathinggown Shirts and Drawers, one color; 50c value, Thursday Special \$2.00
Odd Lot of Men's Wool Shirts and Drawers, broken sizes; 52 and 54, Thursday Special, 95c
Men's Black Satin Work Shirts, Congress brand, sizes 14 1/2 to 15 1/2 only; \$1.25 value, Thursday Special \$1.00
Men's Work Shirts, made of extra good quality percale and madras, Congress brand, sizes 14 1/2 to 15 1/2, \$1.00 value, Thursday Special \$1.00, 3 for \$2.00
Men's Flannellette Pajamas, broken sizes, \$2.00 value, Thursday Special \$1.00
Men's Fine Black Cotton Hose, second quality; 15c to 25c value, Thursday Special, 10c, 3 Pairs 25c
Men's Corduroy Pants, in medium and dark brown, sizes 30 to 40, 1.00 value, Thursday Special \$1.00

READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

Princess Slips, made of satinette, charmeuse, plain or self striped, white, flesh, tan, cream, light and dark grey and blue, neat hemstitched top and plain hem or finished with pleated flounce and colored stitching, sizes 36 to 44; regular \$2.00 and \$2.25 value, Thursday Special \$1.20
Petticoats, made of silk jersey, silk or silk and jersey combined, finished with pleated flounce of same with inserts of contrasting color or of changeable silk, or others have embroidered hem, navy, black, blue, grey, tan, cream, white, brown and red; regular \$5 value, Thursday Special, \$2.40
Infants' Dresses, made of fine white voile, neat embroidered robe finished with lace at neck and sleeves and knot of ribbon, sizes 6 to 24, regular \$1.00 value, Thursday Special, 70c
Children's Bonnets, made of fine white cashmere, poplin and silk, finished with rows of silk, or embroidery, and with ties, 12 to 16; regular 50c and 60c value, Thursday Special \$2.00
Bandannas, made of cotton broad cloth, in broken sizes, assorted styles, regular 25c and 30c value, Thursday Special, 10c, 3 for 25c

BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION

Boys' Corduroy Pants, straight leg, 25 1/2, 26 1/2, 27 1/2, 28 1/2, 29 1/2, 30 1/2, 31 1/2, 32 1/2, 33 1/2, 34 1/2, 35 1/2, 36 1/2, 37 1/2, 38 1/2, 39 1/2, 40 1/2, 41 1/2, 42 1/2, 43 1/2, 44 1/2, 45 1/2, 46 1/2, 47 1/2, 48 1/2, 49 1/2, 50 1/2, 51 1/2, 52 1/2, 53 1/2, 54 1/2, 55 1/2, 56 1/2, 57 1/2, 58 1/2, 59 1/2, 60 1/2, 61 1/2, 62 1/2, 63 1/2, 64 1/2, 65 1/2, 66 1/2, 67 1/2, 68 1/2, 69 1/2, 70 1/2, 71 1/2, 72 1/2, 73 1/2, 74 1/2, 75 1/2, 76 1/2, 77 1/2, 78 1/2, 79 1/2, 80 1/2, 81 1/2, 82 1/2, 83 1/2, 84 1/2, 85 1/2, 86 1/2, 87 1/2, 88 1/2, 89 1/2, 90 1/2, 91 1/2, 92 1/2, 93 1/2, 94 1/2, 95 1/2, 96 1/2, 97 1/2, 98 1/2, 99 1/2, 100 1/2, 101 1/2, 102 1/2, 103 1/2, 104 1/2, 105 1/2, 106 1/2, 107 1/2, 108 1/2, 109 1/2, 110 1/2, 111 1/2, 112 1/2, 113 1/2, 114 1/2, 115 1/2, 116 1/2, 117 1/2, 118 1/2, 119 1/2, 120 1/2, 121 1/2, 122 1/2, 123 1/2, 124 1/2, 125 1/2, 126 1/2, 127 1/2, 128 1/2, 129 1/2, 130 1/2, 131 1/2, 132 1/2, 133 1/2, 134 1/2, 135 1/2, 136 1/2, 137 1/2, 138 1/2, 139 1/2, 140 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127 BODIES TAKEN FROM MINE

CATTLEGATE, Utah, March 12.—The dead removed from Utah Fuel Co. mine No. 2 had reached 127 early today, leaving 48 of the 173 entombed by a series of explosions Saturday unaccounted for. Hope for the safety of any of them has long been abandoned. Work of removing the bodies was greatly hampered during the night by unexpected obstructions and by water in the workings as a result of the failure of the pumps. The first funerals will be held today.

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Lingette, for fine underwear and slips, plain colors and self-stripes, all the new shades, including black and white; was 69c. Special 49c Yard

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Ladies' Strap-Wrist Kid Gloves—Embroidered back, pique sewn; colors grey, brown, mode, black and white; value \$4.25. Pair \$2.95

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Ladies' Summer Weight Pants and Tights, loose and close knee, small sizes only; regular value 50c. Thursday A. M. Special, 15c Ea., 2 for 25c

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Hemstitched Table Cloths, fine quality mercerized cotton linen finish, variety of patterns; regular \$1.39 each. Thursday A. M. Special 95c

42x36 Pillow Cases—Made from good quality cotton, strong and serviceable, all first quality; regular 39c. Thursday A. M. Special 25c

18-inch Italian Linen—Woven for artwork embroidery, heavy-weight; regular 49c yard. Thursday A. M. Special, 34c

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Stamped Three Piece Buffet Sets—Floral and butterfly patterns in white or oyster shades. Regular 45c set. Thursday A. M. Special 22c



ASSAULT AND BATTERY

BillERICA Highways Department Teamster Charged With Assaulting Surveyor

Edward McMillen, a teamster in the employ of the highways department of the town of Billerica, was arraigned in district court this morning, charged with assault and battery on Edgar F. Twombly, highway surveyor, and on a plea of not guilty he was continued in \$500 bonds until March 13.

McMillen was arrested by Chief Henry Livingston yesterday afternoon after the highway surveyor informed him that McMillen had assaulted him with a heavy floor board during an argument which ensued at the town stables when the teamster refused to comply with an order to do a certain piece of work. Twombly and McMillen both appeared in court this morning showing the effect of the melee, the former's face and left ear being bandaged and the latter sporting a black and swollen eye. Twombly's injuries necessitated treatment by Dr. Maurice A. Buck of Billerica.

CAT HAS PENCHANT FOR TREE CLIMBING

For the third time within a week, a venturesome cat in Huntington street had to be assisted from a lofty position in a tree when a telephone call to Agent Richardson of the Humana society yesterday afternoon resulted in Tabby's rescue by Harrison Baker, assistant to Mr. Richardson. Mr. Baker, by using a ladder, ascended to a high elevation in the height of yesterday afternoon's storm to effect the rescue and found that the cat was the same identical one which twice before ascended to an unfathomable distance in the Huntington street tree.

The population of India is three times that of the United States. Mexico has had seven presidents since 1910.

MATERNAL AND INFANT

HYGIENE WORK

An all-day study course on maternal and infant hygiene opened this morning in Liberty hall, Memorial Auditorium, under the direction of the state health department. Dr. Merrill Chapman, director of the division of hygiene, was to speak this morning on the progress in this state in maternal and infant hygiene work. Dr. E. P. Rogers was to follow him with the topic "Recent Advance and Trend in Obstetrics." Due to the inability of either to be present Dr. Mary Leighton of the state health department substituted and handled both subjects in a thorough and understanding manner.

A recess was taken from 11:30 o'clock until 1:30 this afternoon. The afternoon program follows:

1:30—Recent Advance and Trends in Pediatrics, Eli Romberg, M.D., Boston.

2:30—The Pre-School Child, Frederick Moore, M.D., State Department of Public Health.

2:50—What Are We Learning From the Study of Maternal and Infant Health? Mabel A. Southern, M.D., State Department of Public Health.

3:10—What Are We Learning From the Survey of Child Hygiene Activities? Miss Madeleine Wayne, State Department of Public Health.

3:30—Problems and Progress in Maternal and Infant Hygiene in This City, Charles E. Simpson, M.D., District Health Officer, State Department of Public Health.

CASES DISPOSED OF IN DISTRICT COURT

Arthur Manseau, who was arrested by Officer William Cande in Dracut yesterday for the police of Syracuse, N. Y., on a non support charge, will be taken back to New York city tomorrow. This information was contained in a telegram received here today, and produced in district court when Manseau was called on for continuance.

Joseph Murphy, brought in on a charge for drunkenness, was fined \$10 until Saturday to pay a fine of \$10.

Frank E. Metcalfe, drunkenness, was given a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction.

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A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

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MERRIMACK CO. REPORT

Shows Surplus of Nearly

\$200,000—Treas. Thoron

Says Outlook Not Bright

There is little optimism at present in the outlook for Lowell textile products this year, from the viewpoint of Treasurer Ward Thoron of the Merrimack Manufacturing company, at least. Mr. Thoron has reported to Merrimack stockholders that "the outlook for the current year is not good."

The Hunteville, Ala. textile mills owned by the Merrimack Manufacturing company of Lowell, were very active during the past year, according to the report of Treasurer Ward Thoron, who compares operations in the southern plant with the production activities in the local Merrimack mills.

According to the annual report just made public, the Merrimack plant in the south was very active during the year and the plant in Lowell reasonably so. A total of 65,185,666 yards of cloth were manufactured in both northern and southern mills and 61,933,457 yards were invoiced.

The financial report of the Merrimack company shows up very good indeed, in the opinion of investors in the textiles. The new income for the Lowell-Hunteville combination for the year ending Dec. 31, 1923, after all charges, reserves, taxes, contingencies and preferred dividends, amounted to \$125,337. This is equal to \$7.12 a share for the 17,500,000 common stock. This figure compares with \$6.10 earned for the common stock in 1922.

Mr. Thoron points out that during the past year, in addition to usual expenditures for maintenance of plant, \$470,063 was expended for renewals, improvements and additions. Of this amount, \$207,450 was taken care of by annual accrual of depreciation, \$1097 through sales of old apparatus and the balance, \$261,158, added to plant account.

The treasurer says, in his annual survey: "With the opening of the new season last October, the advancing cotton market appears to have undermined the confidence of buyers in stability of prices, and the new season's business has not materialized in satisfactory volume."

"Prices, for such business as there is, except in a few lines, are below the cost of replacement, and would show a minimum return on a 25-cent cotton market. Consequently, the outlook for the current year is not good."

TRIBUTE TO A. F. SMITH

Trains Halt at Hour of Funeral Services of President of New York Central

NEW YORK, March 12.—All trains of the New York Central lines halt for one minute today, and every employee of the system will pause, whatever he may be doing, for the same length of time, at 2 o'clock, the hour of the funeral services at St. Thomas' church, for Alfred H. Smith, president of the railroad, who was killed when thrown from a horse in Central Park, Saturday.

Private services will be held this morning at the Chappaqua residence, following which the body will be brought to New York on a special train.

Radio station WJZ will broadcast the church service.

General offices of the New York Central and similar large offices of the road in other cities, close for the day at 1 o'clock, as a tribute to the memory of Mr. Smith.

Following the entertainment program which included songs of Scotland by Mrs. Leckie, the meeting was brought to a close.

All the United States navy yards are areanals.

The Jewish population of the world is 15 1/2 millions.

CURRENT EVENTS DAY AT EDUCATIONAL CLUB

Current Events day was observed at the Educational club meeting in Edison hall yesterday afternoon, with President Elizabeth D. Leckie in charge. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. W. S. Jessup, secretary, and an application for membership was received.

Interesting readings on "Radio," "Accomplishments of Women," and "Women's Equal Rights" were given by Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Hadley, and Mrs. Leckie. At the request of the president, Mrs. Jessup read an article on Mrs. Calvin Coolidge.

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WESTERN PIONEER TELLS INTERESTING EXPERIENCE

Frank Rikert, Who Left Illinois for California in Covered Wagon in 1864, Wouldn't Take \$100 for Bottle of Tanlac.

the high valuation he places on the famous treatment.

Frank Rikert, well-known resident of North Sacramento, Cal., who came to the state from Illinois in a covered wagon in 1864, along with other hardy pioneers, recently exhibited a bottle of Tanlac, which he had just purchased to a friend of his home and remarked: "If I thought this was the last bottle of Tanlac I would ever be able to buy, I wouldn't take one hundred dollars for it," thus proving.

Take Tanlac. Vegetable Pills.—Adv.

NOTED REBEL GENERAL CAPTURED

MEXICO CITY, March 12. General Gustavo Salas, considered the most capable tactician among the officers of Enriquez Estrada's rebel forces in Jalisco, has been captured and is being taken to Morelia, according to a war department statement. Salas is said to be seriously ill.

BOMB WRECKS BRITISH LEGATION

ATHENS, March 12.—(By The Associated Press) A bomb was exploded early today at the entrance to the British legation, causing material damage, but injuring no one. Greek officials expressed belief that the incident was staged in an effort to discredit the government.

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FINANCIAL CRISIS IN FRANCE

France is face to face with a very serious financial crisis as a result of the sudden drop in the value of the franc from par value of 125 cents to about 35 cents, or 0.28 of the American dollar.

The last feature of the situation is that efforts to check the downward trend are not proving effective, so that radical measures must be adopted. Premier Poincaré has a plan of increasing taxation 20 per cent and putting restrictions upon borrowing but whether he can have it adopted remains to be determined. Most people will ask how this dire financial situation came about. It is not difficult to explain. After the war, France, relying upon payment of a large indemnity by Germany, went ahead with the work of reconstruction, meeting the expenditures mainly by credit. Finally, finding that Germany refused to pay, she determined to occupy the Ruhr, expecting thereby to be able to collect enough to restore part of her losses.

In this she was disappointed. The occupation has been made an expensive undertaking for a considerable time after entering the Ruhr, France was obliged to purchase French coal on cash payments, while fighting passive resistance in the German. This France called up heavy debt on false hopes. She borrowed from her people until they had no more to give, and then she was obliged to use the printing press for the issuance of government notes, which were not redeemable in gold. As the value of the franc went down, the value of commodities in general went up. Then came a demand for higher wages which, of course, was necessary for the workers in order to live under the new conditions.

The country is now facing the worst consequences of a depreciated currency and the government is doing its utmost to stop the price raising craze. It has threatened heavy penalties for any unnecessary increase in the price of foodstuffs and other necessities of life. But the economic laws operating against the government cannot be checked except by the most extraordinary steps. Premier Poincaré, in addition to proposing an increase in taxes, favors abandonment of the work of reconstruction until the financial crisis shall have passed.

Some encouragement has been found in the report that the J. P. Morgan company of New York would advance a loan of \$50,000,000 to France. While this may be true, it is not yet confirmed from official sources.

In this emergency France might well feel disposed to draw upon her many as the cause of all her present trouble, but it seems that there is an immediate prospect of Germany's paying any considerable amount of the reparations indemnity due to France. It had been proposed that Germany would raise a loan of \$50,000,000, half of which should go to France; but this was probably suggested as one of the steps to follow the report of the committee now investigating Germany's ability to pay.

Indeed it may be this proposition that has been confused with the report that the \$50,000,000 loan is to be advanced to France to meet the present emergency. It is hoped, however, that as a result of action to be taken by the French government tomorrow, the situation will undergo an early improvement, but a loan such as mentioned from the New York company would help France to tide over the present crisis in her financial affairs—the worst she has experienced at any time since the opening of the World War.

FALL AND McLEAN

It would appear that as a result of his association with ex-Secretary Fall of the interior, Mr. Edward R. McLean's reputation for veracity, if it ever was very high, must have suffered exceedingly in this oil scandal. The testimony seems to show that Mr. Fall deliberately made a false statement that he had obtained a loan of \$100,000 from McLean with which to finance his ranch in New Mexico, whereas, in point of fact, he had obtained no such loan but had secured a loan of that amount from R. L. Pugh, before there was any talk of an oil scandal. Mr. Fall then met McLean at Palm Beach and the story subsequently came out that the loan obtained from McLean was in the form of checks which were returned un cashed. But McLean at the time did not have that amount of money to his credit in the banks named. It all appears to be a rather transparent effort to save Fall from being convicted of a deliberate falsehood, and in which McLean's testimony is also discredited. Moreover, a number of his employees have given testimony before the investigating committee which seems in many points to be highly improbable, if not entirely false. It may be assumed, as a result of Mr. McLean's part in this affair with Fall, that he will not be much of a power in the republican campaign and that his advice will no longer be sought by anybody in the White House, not even by Secretary E. Bacon Stump.

DESERVE HERO MEDALS

There are three men in Biddford, Me., who deserve medals from the Carnegie Hero Fund or some other institution of the kind. Their names are Charles Bradley, T. P. Doyle and J. C. Laporte. They did not risk their lives in the usual way by jumping into icy water to save somebody from drowning nor did they get out in front of an approaching train to rescue somebody from being ground under the wheels. What they did was much simpler but it came as a result of mere fact and quick decision. One of them saw a baby dangling on a window sill, he felt above their heads and instantly he called to a friend to come and hold an overcoat as a safety net to receive the baby in its fall. In-

stantly the baby came down and landed in the center of the coat held for its reception. It bounded upward like a rubber ball and came down in the arms of one of the men without being injured in the slightest. Nothing but the quick judgment of one of those men saved that child from being dashed to pieces on the pavement. Such action deserves a medal as a reward for saving a life under the most peculiar circumstances.

NASHUA AROUSED

Opposition is now rampant against the pushing through of a plan for the annexation of the town of Hudson, N. H., to the city of Nashua. The move comes from unexpected quarters, but it appears to be powerfully organized and vitalized. Story in the plans made to push the project along and "teping it on the voters suddenly," it is charged, is responsible for the indignant feeling in Nashua, where most of the opposition exists.

The town has recently suffered three costly fires due to inadequate fire apparatus and untrained volunteers. The school question is also a vital issue, for today more than 80 pupils residing in Hudson, have to go to Nashua to attend the high school. The price of tuition has been recently raised, also another thing that rankles in the homes of Hudson taxpayers.

Naturally politics plays a more or less important part in the contest. Nashua is not a very strong republican city as democratic victories in local and state politics are not infrequent. It is alleged that the addition of Hudson, which is solidly republican, would give the republicans a solid majority in Nashua.

NAMES ARE WITHHELD

It now appears that the judiciary committee of the national house has advised that no further effort be made at the present time to secure the names of the two members of congress charged with having accepted bribes for securing the release of prisoners from the federal penitentiary. The evidence was developed in testimony given before a grand jury in Chicago. Apparently, the judiciary committee feels that Washington is furnished all the scandals the people can stand at the present time. Already two republicans, members of the house, have denied that they are the guilty parties referred to, while democratic members of the committee may insist that Attorney General Daugherty will disclose the names.

If criminal procedure were brought against two republican members of congress in the present state of the public mind, the effect would undoubtedly be very damaging to the prospects of the republican party. Possibly this is the reason why the names are withheld.

HOME BEAUTIFUL EXPOSITION

It will be acknowledged that the Home Beautiful Exposition at the Memorial Auditorium last year was one of the most successful and novel enterprises attempted at any time by the local contractors and merchants. That it is to be repeated, is welcome news as it is a great eye-opener in the matter of home building, home furnishing and home beautification. This is a community event which will help business and thereby benefit the entire community. The dates fixed for the exposition are April 2, 3, 4 and 5. Those who attended the exposition of last year were convinced that there is no need of going to Boston to procure anything necessary in the line of home beautification. It is hoped that the Home Beautiful Exposition will also start on a successful career of home building in this city.

The Hibernian Pope Pius XI, having installed a radio set at the Vatican, will be able to listen in on many of the speeches and entertainments delivered in several of the European capitals. It is doubtful if he will be able to catch any of the broadcasts from the United States, but the time is not far distant when, through the medium of the wireless, two persons can talk to each other from any two points on the earth's surface.

That two fire alarms sounded when a large number of persons were before the city committee of planning for an increase of wages, was a striking coincidence and one that came at the right time to check a statement just made at the hearing, to wit, that the firemen even when off duty feel that they are liable to be called upon at any moment.

The members of the Lowell bar have gained a decided asset in the appointment of a United States commissioner here. Because of this, let face that hitherto made their way into the pockets of Boston lawyers are finding a resting place in the local banks as deposits made to local members of the local profession.

Now that the Atkinson bill and the annexation bill are out of the way, it may be possible that the Lowell delegation will make in support of the bill to have the state department of health clear the bed of the lower Merrimack river of the accumulations of dirt that during hot weather make it a veritable nuisance.

Of course, Senators Harrison, Charvat and Walsh are making characters rather unpleasant for some present and former republican officials; but they are determined that the president's resolve not to let any bully man escape, shall be respected.

We undoubtedly have had many incendiary fires and hence if any man is found guilty of arson he should receive the extreme penalty of the law.

The senate is not likely to approve the objectionable features of the Johnson reorganization bill.

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Tom Sims Says

The constitution has been placed in a vault, but it is for safe keeping and not because it is dead.

The quickest way to reduce the population of any town is to let the bootleggers sell what they please.

The army may name its planes after cities. This is better than the present plan of naming them after radio stations.

Los Angeles street car conductor caught three men trying to rob his company. We nominate him for president of the United States.

Some people are run down by taxes and others are run down by taxis.

A well digger who was buried six hours in Eastport, L. I., will recover, perhaps due to his subway training.

Seattle man was arrested for robbing a filling station, so we would like to hear him reading Teapot Dome news in his cell.

A cynic thinks the song of love is a swan song.

SEEN AND HEARD

Isn't it time Walter Camp picked his All-American Teapot team?

Baudelaire held up a New York restaurateur, escaping before the cook could hit them with a biscuit.

Taxation without representation was said to be tyranny. Now what little taxpayer can tell us what taxation without reduction is?

A Thought: The wisest man is generally he who thinks himself the least so—Baldern.

Made Fair Profit: "Now this picture," bawled the one finger, "is valued by the artist, who stands beside me, at \$5000. And what am I offered? Thirty plunks." But he got no other bid and knocked the price down at that figure. A bystander ventured to console with the artist. "O, well," said the latter, "I painted it in two hours, the painter took me about 20 cents and the canvas a dollar. I made a fair profit."

How to Get Down: They were discussing ways and means of getting down off an elephant. "Well, how do you get down?" asked Bob. "You climb down," answered Tom. "No," replied his friend Tom. "Well, you crawl like a snake and slide down." suggested the other. "Wrong again," insisted Tom. "Then you take a ladder. If one is handy, and get down." was the next suggestion. "No," said Tom, "you should use a rope." "No," said Tom, "you don't get down off an elephant. You cut it off of a duck."

Francis Confused: Francis prided himself on his thorough knowledge of houses and their builders and so he was interested when, on a visit to the country, he saw a farmer having some trouble with his house. It would start a crack and the owner, a farmer, and then stop. Then the farmer would have great difficulty in getting it started again. Finally Francis approached the farmer and asked kindly, "Is your house sick?" "Not as I know of," was the short reply. "Is he badly?" "No, but he's so afraid I'll say 'Whoa' and he won't start again that he stops every once in a while to listen."

Knew How It Was: A man and his wife were riding rapidly and came to a bridge before he could reach the automobile. He had started across first. It was a narrow bridge and his plain duty was to back off. But his wife seized the gear lever so he couldn't start and proceeded to give the driver of the other car a tongue lashing for daring to try to cross at such a time. Her indignation, as she thought of all the annoyance and the said what she thought. When the unoffending driver was convinced of his criminality and general unfitness to be among civilized people, he backed off the bridge and let the woman's husband proceed. As the first driver passed the culprit he said: "Sorry, old man, and thank you." The other replied: "No, don't apologize. I've one at home myself."

Neighbors: When Oliver Warden bought the place across the road from mine, I didn't like his beaming face. And manner quite benign.

I said that one who had a smile for all be changed to meet. Undoubtedly was full of knits. And practicing deceit.

I didn't give my sanction when he spoke of changing work; I thought, "These over-cherful men are pretty apt to shrink."

Then when Ephoid had brought me low Upon a bed of pain, I saw this thrush come and go. I saw this thrush come and go.

He did my chores and shined my corn. And sat with me at night. And drove away my thoughts forlorn With manner gay and bright.

That first impression often had I'd grown we must agree. For Ephoid, I'm sure. What was he seemed to be. Harry J. Whitmore to Farm Co.

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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Friends and admirers of Vic Brown, for the past two seasons leading man of the Lutteringer Stock Co. at the Lowell Opera House, will be pleased to learn that he is now heading his own company of players. At the close of the engagement here Mr. Brown enjoyed a brief rest and then joined a stock company at Lancaster, Pa., as leading man. Shortly after his arrival it was decided to disband the company because of financial difficulties and a disagreement among the owners as to policy. Mr. Brown quickly stepped into the breach by forming the Victor Brown Players from the personnel of the disbanded company. According to Langdon Barker, former manager of the Opera House here, the company has been doing well since the reorganization under the Brown standard.

Miss Hazel Corinne, who played feminine leads here opposite Mr. Brown, is doing exceptionally well in Wilmington with the Permanent Players there. Miss Edna Earl Andrews, now with the Lutteringer unit in Manchester, N. H., formerly played leads there. Miss Andrews gave Miss Corinne letters of introduction to many of her friends and says Hazel has been going like wildfire since her arrival. It may be merely a coincidence but two weeks after Miss Corinne started there the opposition stock company closed.

When Miss Lillian Desmonds, leading lady of the Lutteringer unit here, gave her curtain speech at the farewell performance in the Auditorium here she put in a good word for the freemen. "They are worth six dollars a day," said Miss Desmonds, after telling how she watched them work at the Opera House here.

To her surprise and pleasure she was recently visited in Manchester by a delegation of local freemen who presented her with a magnificent shawl, made by the men in their spare time. A gift to show their appreciation, they said.

John Rowe, who was juvenile of the stock company here, has recovered sufficiently from his recent skin infection so that he is again able to play. He will commence rehearsals for the last part of the week for "The Greasy Snake" which is to be offered by the stock unit a week hence.

At Lutteringer has closed his Plaza stock unit in Bridgeport, Conn., and the company has disbanded. Mr. Lutteringer did thirteen weeks in the Plaza house in the Connecticut city. Mrs. Lutteringer (nee Ann Kinsley) playing the feminine leads. The couple are now in Manchester.

The gate of Tuesday made it hard going for the horses. The people seemed to realize it pretty well, however, for on every side it was noticeable that pedestrian, autoist and traffic cop alike gave way to the hard-working equines at every opportunity. Surely if we have our "dog days" a day like Tuesday could readily be dubbed a "horse day" without much fear of a successful challenge.

One thing likable about the democratic and republican representatives of Lowell in the legislature, no matter how bitter, pointed, acrimonious or personal their debate may be in the house, they can laugh it off and lunch together at noon. That is the best part of the real play of politics. Play the game hard while you're at it and rest with equal thoroughness. The Lowell solons can spend half a day fighting against each other on the floor of the house, because of their honest convictions, and then leave the state of it behind when they walk out into the lobby. A movement for a better Lowell finds them all with their heads together but they kill the annexation bill just the same.

There is a refreshing note to the interview with John M. Abbot, capitalist and manufacturer, which appeared in last Friday's edition of The Sun. Mr. Abbot is treasurer of a new mill which will locate in the old Saginaw-Hartford yards. New machinery has been ordered from the Saginaw-Hartford shops.

"We are glad to be able to give this order to Saginaw-Hartford," said Mr. Abbot. "We patronize home industry at every opportunity."

This new plant means more employment in the future for Lowell folk. In the present employment field at the Saginaw-Hartford yards, the enthusiasm for the attitude of Mr. Abbot in locating at home and having his machinery made at home is heightened by the pride and pleasure that comes with the thought and knowledge that Lowell mechanics can supply his wants. The more residents who absorb the Abbot viewpoint the more chance for a greater Lowell.

AT ASSOCIATE HALL: There will be dancing tomorrow night at Associate hall and again on Saturday night. Miner-Dogbe's orchestra will furnish the music, playing all the latest and popular dances. Until further notice dancing will be held on two evenings of the week, Saturday and Thursday.

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4:30 p. m.—Mrs. Earl C. Cook, soprano; Miss Helen Roche, pianist, and Miss William Cooper, violinist.

5 p. m.—The Day in Finance. 6 p. m.—Children's half-hour, stories and music. Mrs. William H. Stewart. 6:30-7:30 p. m.—Dinner dance. Shepard Colonial orchestra.

8 p. m.—Harvard university band. Addison Simmons, 24, director.

WGTV, SCHENECTADY

6 p. m.—Produce and stock market news bulletin. 6:30 p. m.—Story.

WJZ, NEW YORK

4:15 p. m.—Herbert Florence, boy soprano. 4:30 p. m.—Tea concert by the Hotel Commodore orchestra.

8 p. m.—Practical Philosophy by Dr. Herman H. Horne of New York university. 7 p. m.—Bedtime story.

7:30 p. m.—Lance program by Cafe Boulevard orchestra. 7:45 p. m.—World talk.

8 p. m.—Dance program by Cafe Boulevard orchestra. 8:15 p. m.—Douglas Fairbanks and Mary Pickford will give addresses.

8:30 p. m.—Francis D. Galatin of the department of parks of Manhattan. 8:45 p. m.—E. T. Selous, baritone.

9 p. m.—George Lewis, thestoner, 1. Speak of Africa and Golden Jags. 9:15 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dittler in violin and piano recital.

9:45 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley. Readings with music, with Miss Ruth Thomas. 10:30 p. m.—Dance program by Trocadero orchestra.

WOL, NEWARK

8:15 p. m.—Ernie Krickell's orchestra. 8 p. m.—Ing and Outs of Wrestling, by George Balthus.

8:15 p. m.—Recital by Dorothy Burke, soprano. 8:30 p. m.—Five-minute talk on Ballroom Etiquette by Arthur Murray.

8:35 p. m.—Sings by Joseph Moskowitz. 8:50 p. m.—Recital by Dorothy Burke, soprano.

9:05 p. m.—Fifth talk on The Law and Income Tax by John Armstrong. 9:30 p. m.—Commander J. H. Kitch Jr., in command of Naval Air station at Lakehurst, N. J., on the Shenandoah, Lighter-Than-Air Craft.

9:45 p. m.—Sings by Joseph Moskowitz. 10 p. m.—New York entertainers.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH

6:15 p. m.—Dinner concert by the Pittsburgh Athletic Association orchestra. 7:30 p. m.—Feature.

7:45 p. m.—Market reports. 8 p. m.—Address by Mrs. S. V. Barton of the Woman's club of Grafton, Pa.

8:15 p. m.—Riding the Waves Abroad a Stomachful Charles Latus. 8:30 p. m.—Concert by Virginia Coghlan, soprano; Mrs. Edward Todd Bartz, contralto; N. E. La Mare, tenor; Joseph A. Rogers, baritone; Mrs. Marie Bohmeyer Longmore, reader; D. M. Phillips, accompanist.

8:55 p. m.—Time signals, weather. 9:30 p. m.—Health and beauty talk. 10:10 p. m.—Dance recital by Altona Glynn.

WJAZ, CHICAGO

11 p. m.—Current topics. 1 p. m.—Song recital. 1:15 p. m.—Song recital. 2:15 p. m.—International code. 6 p. m.—Stories for children.

KFW, CHICAGO

7:30 p. m.—News, financial and local markets. Spanish lessons by Prof. A. B. Brown. Children's bedtime story. 8 p. m.—Dinner concert at Congress hotel.

8 p. m.—Musical program. 10 p. m.—Good roads report. Health talk. 11 p. m.—Midnight review.

WMAQ, CHICAGO

8 p. m.—Stories for children. Weekly lecture from Northwestern university. 9:40 p. m.—Hotel orchestra. 10 p. m.—Talks from Chicago charities program by Thomas MacBurney.

WJAY, CINCINNATI

2 p. m.—Band concert by the 10th Infantry band.

WOL, DAVENPORT

1:30 p. m.—Sandman's visit, sport news and weather. 8 p. m.—Lecture, Selection and Treatment of Small Grain for Seed. 9 p. m.—Musical program. Edwin Swindoll, organist; Robert MacGregor, baritone.

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Whatever be your pet obsession, Free love! free food, free life, free beers; You'd make a pleasant impression If you would wash behind your ears. Cast off each economic fetter; Don't be to Capital a slave! But—that stuff would get over better If now and then you had a shave.

For cleanliness remains a virtue Which your opinions cannot jar; And soap and water will not hurt you No matter how advanced you are. And free or slave, this little ditty Would plant this thought within your brain, A dirty collar isn't pretty And finger-nails are better clean! (Copyright 1924, The Lowell Sun.)

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LENT, IN THE HOLY LAND



House of Mary, Martha and Lazarus, in Bethany, where Christ was a visitor and whence he went to raise Lazarus from the tomb, has fallen into ruins with the passage of the centuries. It has been definitely marked, however, as one of the Christian shrines.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
Final performances will be given this evening at the Merrimack Square Theatre of "Red Blood and Gold," the Paramount comedy-drama, starring Josephine McKim and George Foxworth. A second performance will be given tomorrow night. The picture is a big, entertaining, and well-made picture. It is a story of a young man who is a member of a family that is very rich. He is a very handsome young man and is very popular with the women. He is a very successful business man and is very rich. He is a very handsome young man and is very popular with the women. He is a very successful business man and is very rich.

Another big bill has been booked for Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the popular Palace street amusement house. The leading attraction will be "Broadway Gold," with Elaine Hammerstein, one of the screen's most lovable female stars, in the role of a young show girl, and with Edith Dwyer and Kathryn Williams in other important roles.

The story deals with the typical Broadway crowd, of hard-working chorus girls and of the types known as gold diggers. Miss Hammerstein never has looked lovelier than she does in the bright and particular star of "Broadway Gold."

While Miss Hammerstein heads the bill, the picture can be truthfully called an all star production. Billie Foster appears in the chief male role, while the old favorite Kathleen Wil-

kins appears in the greatest part of her career as Jean Valjean, a beautiful but worldly wise denizen of Manhattan's roaring "forties."

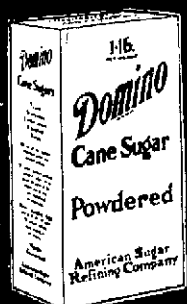
The picture was produced with a lavish hand and certainly cost a pretty amount, but the results are evident. Rich scenes depicting many of the palatial dance and eating places are eye-ravishing in their detail and beauty. Scenes of the most dramatic and exciting nature are shown in the picture.

In order to keep the movie spectator from being bored there are two thrilling auto wrecks, a murder mystery, and hosts of distinctly framed stage localities, who depict themselves for the edification of the Broadway habitué.

Fred Thompson in "North of Nevada," a story of the great outdoors, is the second feature for the week-end. A comedy, "Up in the Air," the latest International News and another episode of the Boston Post prize picture series, "The Story of Trade A Milk," round out an excellent bill.

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The story is concerned with the fascination of Zenda, a crystal gazer, whose siren-like fascination attracts men into her net. How she attains wealth and power through a marriage with a rich man, how she ranks his death to marry her young lover, Ivan, how she meets a terrible end with her lover when her husband finds them together, makes a graphic and dramatic story. In the cast are brilliant players. Lewis Stone is seen as the Marquis Fernand; Barbara La

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ORDERS INVESTIGATION OF "WET" WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, March 12.—An effort to settle the much argued question of the effectiveness of prohibition enforcement in Washington has been ordered by President Coolidge as a result of the charge by Rear Admiral Charles P. Plunkett, commander of the Brooklyn navy yard, that the capital is "the wettest city in the United States."

THE STRAND

Marion Davies says she knows how to sympathize with the prisoners in Florida who have been the victims of brutal whippings which resulted in the death of one boy and stirred up the wrath of the nation. The fair motion picture star knows what it is to feel the deadly lash; for during the making of "Little Old New York," which is filling a six days' engagement at the Strand, she was called upon to take a beating administered by Louis Waldheim of "Harry Apple." She was tied to a whipping post and struck several times with a lash. And she wouldn't allow any one to double for her. The penalty was several red, blistering marks across her back. Don't miss the opportunity of seeing this truly wonderful picture story. Miss Davies is more charming than ever, and the cast in support is made up of some

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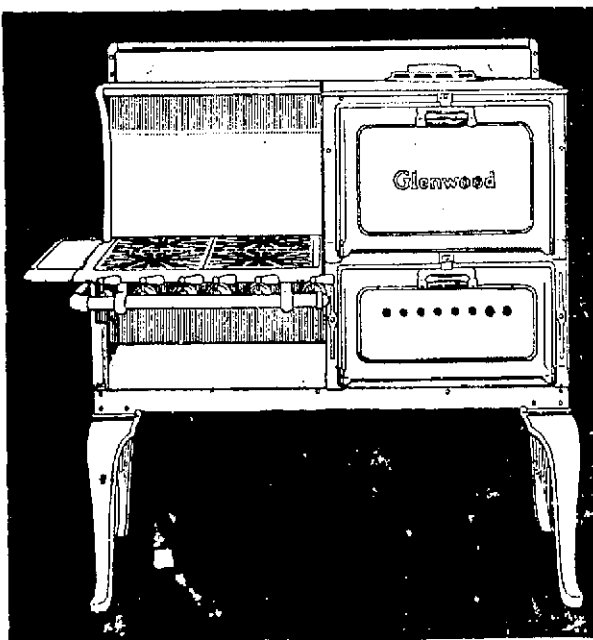
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By A. H. FREDERICK
N.E.A. Service Writer

SACRAMENTO, Calif., March 11.—California's sunshine has betrayed an army of children into crop bondage. The year round these tiny workers traverse the state, crossing and uncrossing their own paths. Unattached to any city or town, they know no permanent homes save the autos and auto camps in which they live.

There are some 20,000 of them. And the majority receive little or no education because the crops demand too much of their time to permit attendance at school.

The age of these children who go into the fields is from a few weeks to 13 years. Babies can be found swaddled in bundles on the ground, while their

parents gather the crops. Children of 5 and 6 labor beside their parents. These youngsters who have forgotten how to play speak a language of their own.

"Where are you from?" asked one 12-year-old girl of a new arrival. "From cotton," answers the other. "I've been in asparagus," states the first.

This is their country and their life—cotton, asparagus, cherries and so on through the state's 24 crops.

They have forgotten how to play because playtime vitality is consumed in the fields. They stoop and gather until their backs ache and their whole being cries for rest.

With the day's work finished, they are only too glad to throw themselves down to sleep on beds consisting usu-

ally of quilts or blankets of uninviting appearance.

Within the state runs this hectic, aimless whirlpool of second hand cars, auto trucks, farm wagons, anything which will carry a man and his family. The father drives, the mother sits beside him, the luggage is piled into the car or strapped to running boards. The children perch wherever they can find hold.

The whirlpool extends through 33 of California's 58 counties. The crops mature at different times. The conveniences follow.

Outside the state two great feeding streams supply whatever workers are needed.

Down through Washington apples and Oregon hops they come from homes left far behind in the plains

states and even the Great Lakes regions.

Up through Southern California comes a second stream, the cotton workers. Many families in this current have worked in cotton from the old south through state after state until they have reached the cotton fields of Southern California. Here they strike the whirlpool and are absorbed among the 50,000.

All nations except the Chinese and Japanese are represented in this child labor problem. There are Italians, Americans, Mexicans, negroes, Finns, and all the heterogeneity that makes up California.

But nationality is rapidly lost in the new race into which they are being built—the race of children who don't fit in.

Many of them seem to sense that they are "different" and feel great anxiety to "conform."

"The migratory child of today represents the situation because he had known better times and different conditions," says Miss Georgiana Gardin, of the state department of education, who has made extensive inquiry into the situation.

"But the problem is more difficult when we consider the future 'cropper.' The child born in the crops, knowing nothing else, will not care. He will adjust himself to conditions and be-

come a habitual drifter, a spend-thrift and a man or woman of no ties to make him or her a better citizen."

In one camp a girl who had passed through the first six grades had established a school. It was free, and attended by every child in the camp voluntarily. The teacher was 13 years old.

Instances are not infrequent where a child has asked the teacher of a school to lay out a course of study "because I'm going to citrus, where there ain't no school," or some other crop.

In 1921 the state department of education introduced into the legislature a migratory school law. An appropriation of \$10,000 was made to establish temporary schools, where the little nomads gathered. Also penalties were provided for parents who did not enroll their children in the new districts in which they moved.

But later it was found more practicable to place emergency teachers in the regular district schools, and to abdicate the state's responsibility there.

"We have made great progress in overcoming illiteracy among child laborers in rural districts through these provisions," says Will C. Wood, state superintendent of education.

Venus is almost exactly the same size as the earth.

COMPLETING PLANS FOR BIG CELEBRATION

At a special meeting in Y.M.C.A. hall Monday night of the committees in charge of the St. Patrick's night celebration in the Auditorium under the auspices of the United Irish societies, the following reception committee was appointed:

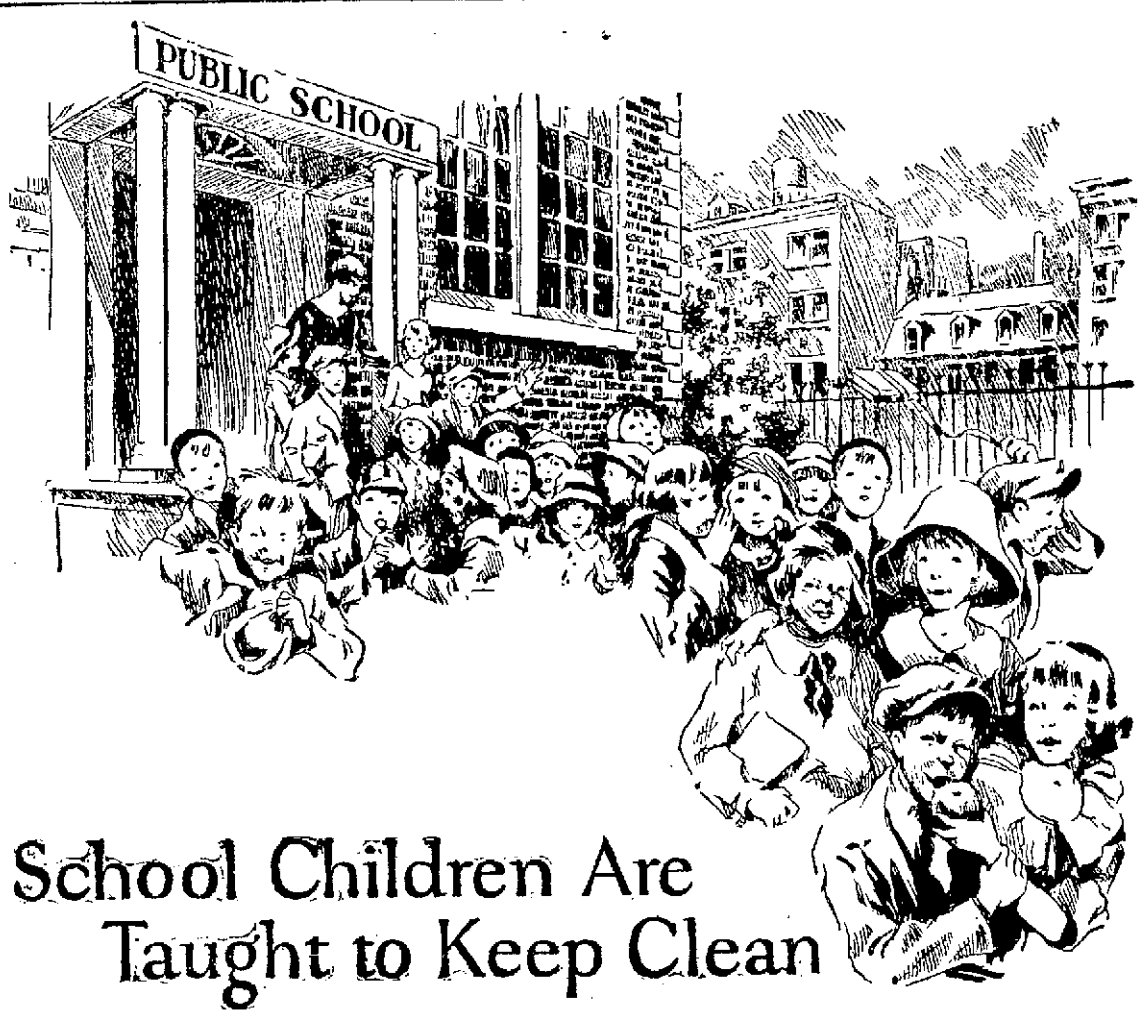
Hon. John J. Donovan, honorary chairman; John J. Flannery, chairman; Thomas J. Fitzgerald, James J. O'Sullivan, John J. Schuler, John J. Mahoney, John W. Sharkey, Richard J. Lyons, John R. Kiegan, James Mullin, Joseph A. Preston, Patrick E. Flinnick, James J. McManus, Francis K. Kier, John J. Tully, Patrick Cassidy, John J. Homan, Thomas McLaughlin, Daniel Healey, Dennis Healey, Mrs. Catherine Leonard, Mrs. Catherine Coleman, Thos. J. Nevin, Michael Mitchell, John J. Caran, James J. Deoney, John O'Sullivan, Mrs. Denis J. Dowrie, Mrs. Margaret McManus, John J. Murphy, Charles A. Gallagher, Frank A. Groves, George E. Brennan, Philip Koon, Dr. E. M. V. Shanahan, Miss Mary Hill, James J. Winn, Patrick J. Reynolds, Eugene J. Fitzgerald, James J. Gallagher, Humphrey O'Sullivan, Andrew F. Roach, Thomas J. Corbett, Owen E. Brennan.

Charles H. Slawey, Stephen Flynn, Owen Monahan, William Kelly, Patrick Mahoney, Frank Kierce, Patrick F. Mahoney, James Heare, Mrs. Catherine Sweeney, Miss Catherine Gaffney, Miss Jennie O'Keefe, Mrs. Owen E. Craven, Patrick Kane, Miss Mary M. Hyland, Michael Quinn, Miss Alice Cunningham, Miss Mary Dillon, John McGuire, P. W. Moran.

Mars is a little larger than Mercury and considerably smaller than Venus and the earth.

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School Children Are Taught to Keep Clean

That is how Children's Diseases
are being conquered



The Health Doctor says—

Most sickness is caused by germs passing from hands to nose, mouth or food.

The surest health protection is to purify hands with a true health soap.

BEFORE health authorities became militant in fighting disease, it was taken for granted that epidemics of measles, mumps, chicken pox, scarlet fever and all of the other children's diseases must run their course, ruining a few lives and sapping the vitality of many.

Now, they teach the children to purify hands and face as often as possible with a true health soap. As a result, fewer germs are passed from hand to hand and epidemics spread more slowly if at all.

Every Sickness is Dangerous

Almost all disease is caused by touching someone who has had the disease or from handling something with which the other person has come in contact.

The germs are carried by the hands to nose and mouth or are deposited on food. So long as hands are truly clean the danger is minimized.

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To be sure, no finer soap was ever made. The purest vegetable oils obtainable are used in its manufacture. The rich oils of

palm fruit and coconut are wonderfully soothing and beautifying to the skin. A baby's petal-like skin is kept in perfect condition with Lifebuoy.

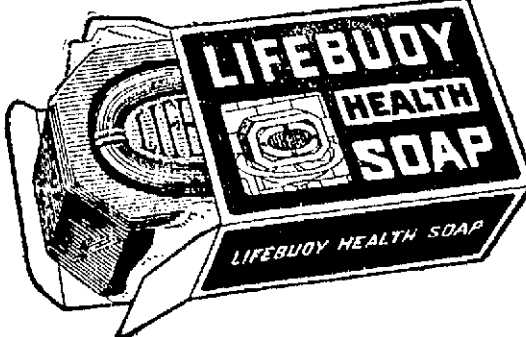
But the invaluable health protection which Lifebuoy gives is due to a remarkable antiseptic ingredient copiously released in the lather. This gentle antiseptic is carried deep down into every pore, removing all impurities and body wastes, destroying the cause of unpleasant odors and combating the menace of disease.

You can smell this health element—a cleanly odor rather than a perfume. It disappears almost immediately but leaves behind a sense of security—a confidence that your skin has been scientifically purified and is safe.

Mother—your family are "Health Doctors" of your families—if you will insist that your children use Lifebuoy as many times a day as possible—always before eating and when they go to bed, you will have less sickness in the family. See to it that your husband removes the dangerous grime of office or shop before he romps with the kiddies. Use it yourself at least while cooking or handling dishes. It will keep your hands wonderfully soft and beautiful.

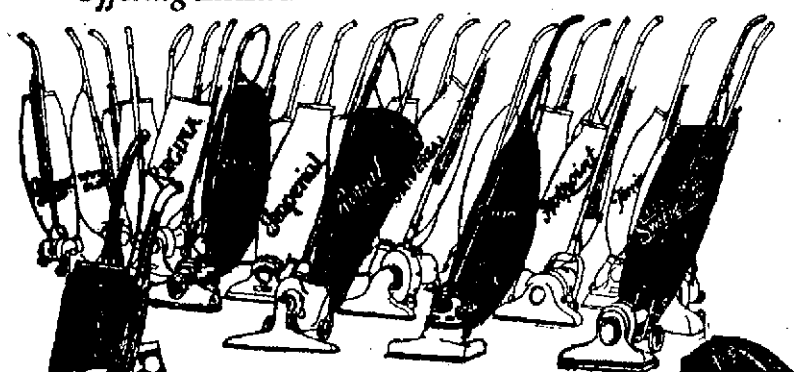
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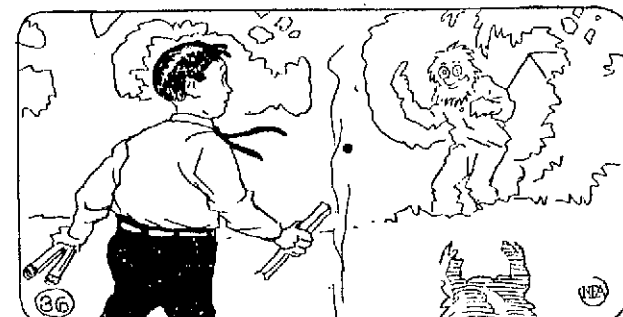
Jack Daw's Adventures. Chapter 12



Jack slept very soundly in his tent and was up bright and early the next morning. He went to the entrance of the canvas shelter and peeked out. There stood Flip, still on guard. And, just rising, behind the trees, was the bright morning sun. Flip barked when he saw his master.



"Just a minute, old fellow," shouted Jack, "and I'll be out in the open with you." And, with that, he hopped into his clothes, threw the tent flaps back and rushed out to build a camp fire. Just as he had piled several sticks together a voice shouted, "Breakfast is all ready!"

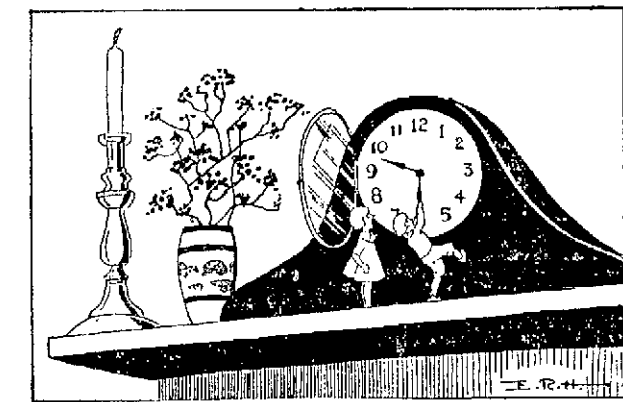


Jack swung around and saw the friendly hermit standing in front of his own tent. "Come on over, son," said the old man, "and we'll have a bite together." "Fine," shouted the little adventurer, "but I wanted to catch some fish for breakfast." "Well, let's do it," came the reply. (Continued.)

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

Olive Roberts Barton

NICK SAVES TIME



NICK HOPPED UP AND GRABBED THE HUGE MINUTE HAND

Down the road to Beauséjour Land went Nancy and Nick toward the red house where Jack lay dead. They could still hear him crying, because, as he had also told them, he had to go to the dentist's with his mother at 10 o'clock.

"We'll fix it some way," Nick kept saying. "I don't blame him for crying. We'll fix it so he doesn't have to go."

When they reached the house the front door was shut, but they climbed through the key-hole without any trouble at all. The clock on the mantel said exactly half-past three. At that moment Mrs. Giant came in and looked at the clock.

"My, my," she exclaimed, "I didn't know it was so late! I shall have to be ready in 15 minutes to take Johnny to the dentist's, because it will take us 15 minutes more to get there. I'll get right up and get washed and combed and change my dress and put on my hat."

No sooner had she gone than Nick whispered, "I know what to do, Nancy. We'll turn the clock back. Come on! This trick mantle is easy to climb."

So up they went, not only because they were good climbers but because the magic shoes were a wonderful help as well.

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CHARITY RELIEF DISTRIBUTION

Public Hearing Last Night by
City Council Committee
on Ordinances

New Ordinance Reported by
Public Charities Committee
Finds Instant Favor

The city council committee on ordinances gave a public hearing last night at city hall on the proposed ordinance to change the method of distributing charity relief by the city by the adoption of a store order-charity system instead of the present method of delivery by the charity department of standardized orders.

The sentiment was overwhelmingly in favor of the new ordinance, which has been reported favorably by the committee on public charities, and among these present were representatives of a number of local charitable organizations which have become interested in the proposition.

It was charged by James C. Reilly, principal speaker on behalf of the proposition, that the present system of distribution is antiquated and 20 years behind the times and that the new system will cost the city a little more, it will have income attributes that will more than compensate any additional charges against the charity appropriation.

The proposed ordinance would have monthly supplies of foodstuffs made subject to bid through the office of the purchasing agent. Persons eligible to receive aid would be given properly approved order slips which would be honored by the storekeeper or storekeepers who had been awarded contracts on the monthly basis. Persons holding these slips could get their provisions directly from such stores and there would be no delivery by city owned wagon or automobile at the homes.

Charity Superintendent Joseph H. Gormley was the only speaker in the demonstration and his only statement against the ordinance was that it would cost the city more to operate than the present system. He agreed with the proposition that under the new system worthy poor who now shrink from applying for aid would probably apply for it, feeling that the stigma of delivery had been eliminated.

Throughout the hearing it was made perfectly plain that there is no attack being made upon Mr. Gormley, simply upon the system which has been in operation for many years; its antiquity was constantly under fire.

Present at the hearings were Councilors John J. McQuinn, John W. Daly, Frank K. Stettin and David Dixon of the ordinance committee and Councilors Frederick A. Sadler and Maurice J. Lambert.

The Proprietors' Case
James C. Reilly was the first speaker after the hearing formally was opened by the reading of the proposed ordinance by Councilor McQuinn.

As a means of bringing to the attention of the committee how the store-order system of distribution is working out in other cities, Mr. Reilly read communications from Springfield, Mass., where all charity is on a cash basis; Worcester, where all charity is on a cash basis; and Lawrence, where all charity is on a cash basis. In all of these cities, systems are in vogue similar to the one now proposed for Lowell.

Mr. Reilly said he knew of no other city in the community which has in operation a system of charity distribution as antiquated as the present Lowell system. He said further that the proponents of the ordinance feel that fuel should be included under the head of provisions.

"The system we are favoring would be a good health measure," said Mr. Reilly. "The system would allow the purchase of foodstuffs in the most many individual tastes of the persons receiving charitable aid and do away with the receipt of articles which simply cannot be eaten because of physical ailments which demand restricted diets."

In reply to a question put by Mr. Daly as to the matter of cost under the proposed system, Mr. Reilly said he has been unable to find out just how much it does cost today to put up and deliver an order. The cost is immaterial, however, he said, but he did not feel that is the important question.

"It is incumbent upon communities to care for their poor," he said, "and there should be no such a thing as questioning the amount of money which would allow them to be properly cared for."

No Criticism of Gormley
Mr. Reilly declared there is no attack being made upon the superintendent of charities.

Mr. Gormley pointed out that last year the charity department spent for the Chalmers Street hospital and for charity \$127,000 out of an appropriation of \$132,000.

He agreed with Mr. Reilly that the \$2 and \$4 order, so-called, are not that in fact, but are so designated as a matter of bookkeeping. He further agreed that the figures on the books of the department are not true orders and do not actually represent what those orders cost.

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The committee took the ordinance under advisement and adjourned the hearing at 10 o'clock.

ELKS ELECT OFFICERS

James E. Donnelly Chosen
Exalted Ruler—Leo T.
Murphy Elected Trustee

Lowell lodge, No. 87, I.O.O.F. Elks, last night elected James E. Donnelly exalted ruler, voted to send W. Edward Turnbull, retiring exalted ruler, to the Grand Lodge convention as delegate, and chose Leo T. Murphy for a one year term as trustee.

Other officers elected were Thomas J. Dowd, leading knight; James E. Kennedy, loyal knight; Thomas J. Atkinson, leading knight; John J. Lee, secretary; John J. Healey, treasurer; and J. Joseph Gilley, clerk. John W. Durkin was named alternate delegate to the Grand Lodge convention.

It was announced that the installation will take place at Associated Elks hall on Sunday, April 14, at 8 o'clock. At the club rooms will follow. District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Michael H. McGarron of Woburn is expected to designate Past Exalted Ruler Daniel Desmond of Lawrence lodge, former district deputy for the jurisdiction of Massachusetts northeast, as the installing officer.

COFFEE HOUSE BOMBED

30 Persons Injured and Two
Buildings Wrecked When
Bomb Exploded

DETROIT, March 12.—Thirty persons were injured, two buildings wrecked and windows for blocks broken when a dynamite bomb was exploded at the entrance of a downtown Greek coffee house in Monroe avenue, early this morning. The injured, mostly cut by flying glass were taken to receiving hospitals where it was said none were seriously injured.

The cause of the bombing is not known.

ACCOMMODATION FOR POSTOFFICE PATRONS

For the convenience of patrons of the local postoffice, Postmaster Xavier A. Delisle today announced that beginning next Saturday and continuing on all Saturdays during the summer months on which there will be no afternoon mail deliveries, carriers will be on duty at the general delivery window of the main postoffice building to distribute mail for all who call there for it.

This arrangement is made by the postmaster so there will be no inconvenience caused local persons by the granting of Saturday afternoon relief to the letter carriers. Under this arrangement, anyone expecting important mail to arrive in the city Saturday afternoon may ascertain if same has arrived and claim it at the general delivery window.

Mr. Delisle called attention to a statement made at a previous hearing before the committee on public charities, to the effect that the \$2 and \$4 order, now being delivered are not really orders worth those sums of money, but simply are called \$2 orders and \$4 orders as a means of identification and designation.

"Although it has been told us that a \$2 order is not worth that much and does not actually cost \$2, a study of cost figures for 1923 shows that a total of 17,264 single orders were sent out at a cost of \$25,725," said Mr. Reilly. "and by a similar coincidence a division of \$25,725 by 12,255 to arrive at a basis of cost is exactly \$2."

After further questions by the committee members, Mr. Reilly closed the hearing on behalf of the proponents of the ordinance.

Cost Would Be Greater
Joseph H. Gormley, superintendent of charities, speaking as a remonstrant said the matter is wholly one whether the city desires to make a change in the system and take over a greater expense.

He agreed with Mr. Reilly that the store order system would allow a much greater variety of foodstuffs. "The proposed system would cost more to operate," he said, "but my department will be very glad to do anything for the poor of the city provided sufficient money is provided by appropriation."

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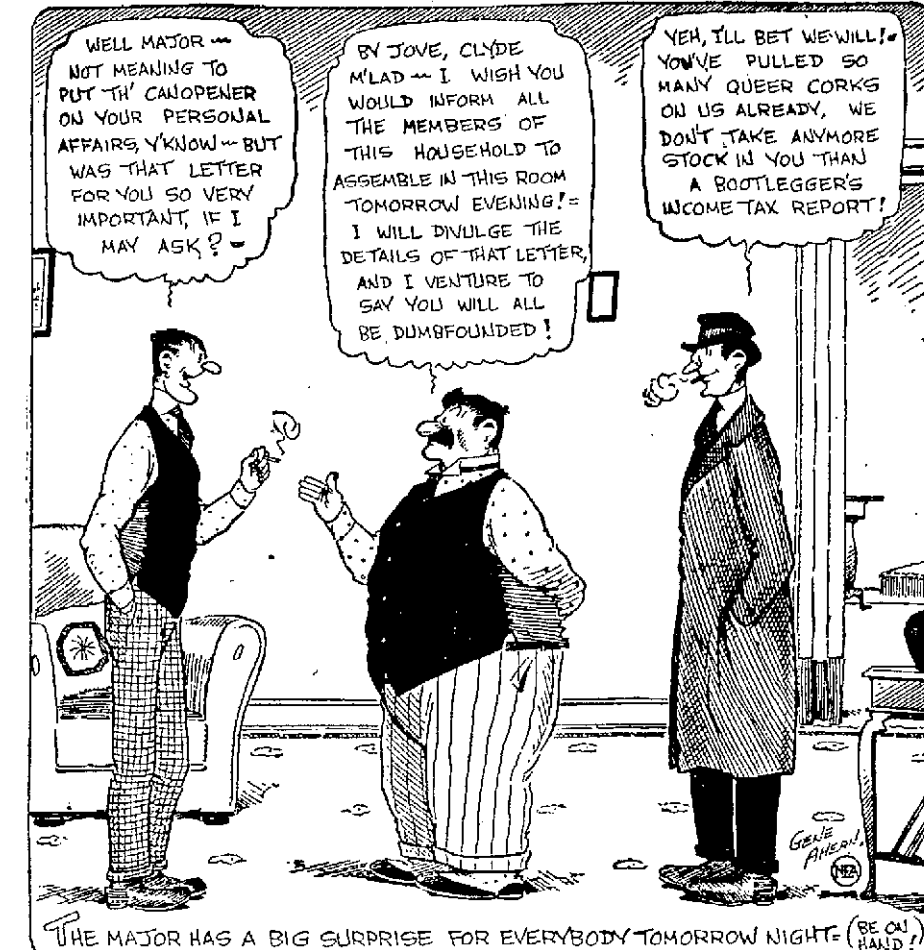
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NOTICE
Special cars for Lawrence will leave Palace street on Wednesday evening, March 12, at 7:30 sharp, for members who wish to attend the carnival to be held by Lawrence Aerie.

Per order,
THOMAS E. QUINN, W. Pres.
JOHN M. HOGAN, Sec.
PAY ENVELOPE sent March 11th last. Reward. Return to 22 Chapel st. between Merrimack square and Chapel

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



THE MAJOR HAS A BIG SURPRISE FOR EVERYBODY TOMORROW NIGHT (BE ON HAND?)

FIRE MACHINES IN COLLISION

Two Firemen on Danger List
in Brockton Hospital as Result
of Crash in Storm

Bad Fire in Lodging House—
Couple, Both Deaf Mutes,
Rescued

BROCKTON, March 12.—Fireman Bernard G. Noonan and driver Chas. T. Dewhurst of Squad A, are on the danger list at the Brockton hospital, and Lieut. Patrick Stack was severely hurt but was able to go to his home following a crash between Squad A and Ladder No. 1 on Court street at 2 o'clock this morning.

The machines were returning from a bad blaze in a lodging house at 245 Court street, owned by Mrs. Catherine Keenan.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bosquet, both deaf mutes, were rescued by Patrolman Francis Barry, and Hosemen Shurtell and Erickson, after all of the other lodgers had left the burning building. The lodging house was partially gutted.

The storm did thousands of dollars damage. The high tension line of the Edison company, between East Bridgewater and Brockton, was leveled and the city today is without light or power, and in many instances heat.

The local newspapers, operated by electricity, may be unable to get out any editions. Should the power come on before noon, the papers will be of reduced size.

Trolley traffic was crippled and Brockton is practically cut off from the rest of the surrounding country.

Members of Lowell Aerie of Eagles will go to Lawrence tonight in special electric cars at 7:30 o'clock to attend the carnival now being conducted by the Lawrence Aerie.

STREET RAILWAY BILLS

Hearing on Measures of Interest
to Street Railway
Men and Busmen

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 12.—The legislative committee on street railways yesterday held hearings on four bills of interest to street railway carmen and busmen throughout the state. One of these bills would limit the hours a trolleyman might be required to work to eight in eleven, another provided that cars must be equipped with stop lights similar to those now used on motor cars, and a third would forbid the operation of the one-man car. The fourth left this last matter to the city council to decide.

On the bill relative to stop lights there were no appearances either for or against. Labor and capital were well and ably represented at the hearings on the other two bills. The committee took all three matters under advisement at the close of the hearing.

The trolleyman's local from Lowell was represented by a large delegation, as were other union locals from all points of the state. Representative Charles H. Stowey met the Lowell delegates on their arrival and took care of them during their visit under the dome. Representative Stowey, together with Messrs. Corbett and Brennan, his democratic colleagues from Lowell, were recorded as in favor of the eight in eleven hour bill. This bill would be mandatory with the companies if it passed and would make the working over the provided hour schedule optional with the men.

Rep. Keegan of Lawrence, sponsor of the bill, was the first speaker at the hearing and made a strong plea for its passage. Legislative Agent Hodgson of the A.F. of L. Peter Rooney of Worcester, William Egan of Natick and Attorney James H. Valley of Boston spoke in favor.

Attorney Valley made a strong plea with the committee to recommend the early passage of the bill. Opposition developed from Bentley Warren, counsel for the Worcester Consolidated and the Springfield & Holyoke railroads, and Attorney Carlton of the Eastern Massachusetts.

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MOSES BEATEN IN PRIMARY

U. S. Senator Not Pledged
to Pres. Coolidge Last in
Presidential Primary

Solid Coolidge Delegation
Named by Voters Yesterday
—Democrats Unpledged

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—Returns from yesterday's presidential primary in New Hampshire, completed with the exception of 71 small towns and city wards, showed the election of 11 delegates to the republican national convention pledged to Coolidge. Seven of these were delegates-at-large and the first and second congressional districts each sent two delegates. U. S. Senator George H. Moses, the only one of eight candidates for delegate-at-large who refused to pledge himself for Coolidge, ran last on the ticket, 141 votes behind Frank H. Chellis of Manchester, who entered the contest at the eleventh hour as a protest against the refusal of Senator Moses to join other candidates in pledged support of the president.

All democratic contestants stood unpledged. There was no contest for the eight places as delegates-at-large.

With 223 out of 234 voting districts heard from, Senator Moses had a vote of 2352. Frank H. Chellis of Manchester was elected with 14,633 votes. Albert O. Brown of Manchester stood first with 13,446.

There was no contest for republican delegates in the second congressional district. In the first district, Cyrus H. Little was elected.

With the outcome awaiting final returns, Sowell Abbott and Benjamin Greer were pressing each other closely for second place.

Senator Moses was more than 100 votes behind Chellis in Concord, his home city, and ran 21 behind in his home ward.

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ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

Rev. James P. Sherry, World
War Chaplain, Opens
Series of Lenten Sermons

In St. Columba's church last night, Rev. James P. Sherry of Cohasset, veteran World war army chaplain, and an eloquent speaker, auspiciously opened the series of Lenten sermons arranged for successive Tuesday evenings by Rev. John J. Powers, pastor, by delivering an elevating discourse on the subject: "What doth it profit a man if he gain the whole world and suffer the loss of his own soul?" Notwithstanding the tempestuous weather, a large congregation was present at the services, which con-



REV. JAMES P. SHERRY

braced the recitation of the rosary, led by Rev. Cornelius J. O'Brien, the sermon by Rev. Fr. Sherry, and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament by Rev. Fr. Powers.

Before taking up the spiritual text, Fr. Sherry extended a note of appreciation to Rev. Powers for the honor of being selected to give the first sermon in the Lenten series. "On last Wednesday night—Ash Wednesday," he then began, "You meditated on death. Remember man that thou art dust and unto dust thou shalt return," was the solemn warning, while the ashes, the symbol of your dissolution, were being placed on your brow. It was then that you appreciated the awfulness of death and asked yourself the question, 'After death, what then?'

"Tonight, let us consider the question of our eternal destination. Are we to see God face to face when we die, or are we to lose that beatific vision forever? In the newspapers every day, obituary notices tell us that a friend we knew, or someone who was prominent in the community because of his achievements, has passed away. It may be a person who has attained every possible material success, or it may be a chronic invalid. Isn't it pity, you may say to yourself when you learn that a man of wealth, riches and renown was taken away before it was time for him to die. On the other hand, the less fortunately possessed of this world's goods dies and is invariably forgotten for the simple reason that he was not known to have possessed an abundance of riches.

"According to what standards or criteria are we to judge man's material success. What is that which is uppermost in our minds, the goals of human ambition? It is the attainment of wealth, fame and human pleasures. These are the goals held out to the young man and woman leaving school, the boy dreaming of the day when he will have enough of this world's goods for self-indulgence, and the girl spending her youth in sweet reverie, dreaming of palatial homes, costly motor cars and modern parties with guests who will be nearly all nobles, especially in this materialistic age. Wealth, influence and pleasure is what they strive for. Their conviction is manifested in their very manner of speech and their manner of action. It is not the poor, hard-working man with the family to support who is envied, but the man who falls to abide by the positive prohibitions of God. It is, in short, the wealthy man and the man who defies riches, the man who, he is following of sycophants, the man who likes to bask in the sunshine of reflected glory. The reason for this mistake is because the things of the soul and the things of the mind are invisible, and because men are given to the satisfaction of the body.

"Money in itself is a good thing," continued Fr. Sherry. "God created it for a purpose, but it does not make men happy. He who possesses a thousand dollars wants another thousand, while the millionaire wants another million. It is similar to the case of the youth who idealizes the high school boy, but when he gets there himself he wishes he was out. Let us always remember that we came into the world with nothing and we will leave it the same way. Well might Scripture say: 'It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter heaven.'"

The speaker then went on to prove that power and influence do not bring contentment. He cited the case of Alexander the Great weeping because he had no more worlds to conquer; the disillusionment of Napoleon at St. Helena, and the imprisonment of the German emperor in Holland, vivid examples, he said, of the text that "unhappy lies the head that wears the crown."

Fr. Sherry also described the disagreeable task that was his in 1918 at Verdun, France, when he was de-

JESSE M. GOVE

DIES SUDDENLY
Was Stricken While on Way
to His Office in Beacon
Street

Boston Lawyer Was Educated Here and Married Miss Ballantyne of Lowell

BOSTON, March 12.—Jesse M. Gove, prominent in republican politics in Boston for many years, and one of the most successful of local lawyers died suddenly yesterday. Apparently in his normal health, Mr. Gove went yesterday morning to his office, 1 Beacon street. Shortly before noon, when he was walking beneath the arch of City Hall annex, he was stricken. A messenger boy notified a policeman who assisted Mr. Gove to Station 2 from where an automobile hurried him to Haymarket Relief hospital. He was pronounced dead on arrival.

Although he has not engaged actively in politics for 20 years, Mr. Gove was considered in 1881 the power behind republican city administrations. His tall, spare figure and unobtrusive adherence to republican principles earned him the name of "The tall even-amer of the republican party." He served in the common council in 1881 and in the legislature from 1883 to 1885. During his last term he was chairman of the committee on cities.

As a delegate to the republican national convention of 1881 he voted for James C. Blaine on every ballot. The fact that he was the only Massachusetts republican to do this was his title of "The original Blaine man."

In 1888 he was elected to the board of aldermen. The same year he was chairman of the republican city committee. In 1890 he ran for congress, but ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald defeated him. As a republican leader in Boston he reached the height of his power during the administration of Mayor Hart. It was Mr. Gove who said of Mayor Hart: "There is one more name in him, and I'm going to elect him." And he did. Mr. Gove was a good public speaker with a way of using plain language which made his arguments clear and attractive to his audience.

He was born Dec. 17, 1852, at Wrentham, N. H., the descendant of a family which had been in America since 1628. In Lowell he attended the public schools and studied with private tutors. In 1872, when he was 20, the family moved to Boston, where he went into business with his father, Dana H. Gove, in the firm of Dana H. Gove & Sons, which still exists under that name.

Mr. Gove was married Aug. 17, 1882, to Miss Agnes E. Ballantyne of Lowell, who survives him, with two sons, Dana H. Gove and Edward J. Gove. His home was at 235 Hemenway st., Back Bay, although he had lived many years at Lexington st., East Boston.

Funeral services will be held at the Eastman funeral home, 886 Beacon st., Thursday at 12 noon.

SUN BREVITIES

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Fire and liability insurance. Daniel J. O'Brien, Woman's Exchange.

Mr. J. Keyes of Lowell is registered at the Hotel Mohican, Fall River.

Mrs. Hector Seifried of Lowell City, Conn., is the guest of Mrs. W. Farmer of this city.

The condition of Miss Josephine E. Mader, who was injured Monday evening in an automobile accident is reported at St. John's hospital today as unimproved.

An informal party was tendered Master Remer C. Bailey of 68 Third street on the occasion of his tenth birthday. Friends and relatives remembered him generously, he being the recipient of gifts from this city, Boston, New York, Maryland and Ohio.

Because of the inclement weather yesterday afternoon, and the small number attending, the scheduled meeting of the Parent Teacher association of the Charles W. Morse school took the form of a social hour with the members of Mrs. Foss' cooking class serving a dainty luncheon.

Tailed to consist 100 dead soldiers to their last resting places in the battle-scarred and blood-stained soil. Captain and private, rich man and poor man all had the same kind of burial, he said, prompting the realization of what a great leveler death was, and "equality of vanities and all is vanity."

In conclusion, the preacher admonished the congregations to beware of the things of a sin-pervaded world. "You were not created to eat, to possess, to indulge the senses," he said. "You were made to live and work out your salvation by keeping the commandments of God and the precepts of the church. Take home with you then tonight the words of St. Augustine. 'How certainly would I speak of salvation were I sure of it myself.'"

The second sermon of the series will be delivered at 7:30 o'clock next Tuesday night by Rev. Denis A. O'Brien D.D., a Lowell boy now stationed at St. Paul's church, Cambridge.

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To Abate Concord River Nuisance LOWELL HARD HIT BY STORM McLean Admits False Information

SEVEN BANDITS BIND FOUR CLERKS, LOOT SAFE AND FLEE WITH JEWELRY WORTH \$50,000

NEW YORK, March 12.—Seven armed bandits today entered the offices of the Security Loan Co., bound with telephone wire four clerks, one of them a woman, looted an open safe, and escaped in a motor car with jewelry valued at more than \$50,000.

HONDURAS WITHOUT GOVERNMENT

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The death of former President Gutierrez and the consequent increased activities of revolutionary factions have left Honduras for the time being without any government whatever. Members of the diplomatic corps succeeded in bringing about a 71-hour armistice which began at 5 p. m. last Monday between the revolutionary leaders.

THREE DEATHS IN TRAIN WRECK

Portland, Me. Man, Injured
When Boston-Montreal Ex-
press Was Derailed, Dead

Baby Who Was Injured Also
Passes Away — Heroic
Work By Nurse

BERLINGTON, Vt., March 12.—Alexander Dumlup, 35, of Portland, Me., died at Mary Fletcher hospital this noon following injuries to his back received in the wreck of the Central Vermont train No. 1, en route from Boston to Montreal, at North Duxbury, early Thursday morning. Dumlup's death brings the number of dead to two, the other being George W. Gaines, 61, of Burlington, who was

MITCHELL RESIDENCE IN MANSUR STREET SOLD

The residence of William A. Mitchell in Mansur street has been purchased by Ames Stevens, now living at 127 Andover street and the Stevens home in turn has been purchased by Dudley J. Page, who recently sold his Rogers street home. It was learned today. The money consideration in the transfer of the Mitchell property is said to be in the vicinity of \$25,000.

MORE REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS REPORTED

The sale of two large and valuable apartment house properties in the Highlands district is reported today through the office of Ryan Brothers, local real estate dealers.

One of the properties involved is a brand new 6-apartment house located in branch street next easterly to number 250. It was built by Abel R. Sawyer and sold by him to Louis

FOR SALE
CADIAC SUBURBAN
See Page 9
DANA & SON

SEVEN LIVES LOST IN STORM

Unspent After 24 Hours, Yes-
terday's Storm Blew Along
New England Coast Today

Seven Lives Known to Be
Lost, Five in New York
and Two in Philadelphia

NEW YORK, March 12.—Unspent after 24 hours yesterday's storm blew northeastward today, along the New England coast, buffeting shore towns and lashing the inland country. The weather forecaster said it would last throughout the day.

CARNIVAL MANAGER HAS LOWELL HIGH ENTERED

James F. Conway, faculty manager of athletics at Lowell high school, today received confirmation of the entry of the Lowell team in the Pennsylvania relay carnival, April 24 and 25. A letter from George W. Orton, manager of the games, acknowledges the receipt of the official entries as forwarded by Mr. Conway. He also sent



JAMES F. CONWAY,
Faculty Athletic Supervisor

The information that of 420 schools now entered, 320 are leading high schools of the country, and 100 are colleges.

Mr. Orton also assured Mr. Conway that the Lowell boys who will make the trip will be properly cared for at the University of Pennsylvania while in Philadelphia, probably in one of the many fraternity houses, as the carnival committee makes a special agent of looking after teams which come from a long distance.

Lowell and Suburbs Badly Battered By Winter's Fiercest Storm

Snow and Sleet Driven by Wicked Gale—Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Service Seriously Damaged—Many Public Service Lines Out of the City Cut Off—City's Snow-plowing Fleet Augmented by Trucks—Thirty-five Teams and 450 Men Engaged—Street Railway Forces Fight Winning Battle

Storm-battered New England is still cheery and unabashed, though badly battered by Old Winter's fiercest and March riot of 1924 that swept the Atlantic coast all day yesterday and last night and continued with unabated energy this morning.

Coning on the 36th anniversary of that greatest New England blizzard of unfragmented memory, March 11, 1888, was the champion blizzard of all the more recent ones, history tells us, and driving fierce squalls of snow, sleet and ice raindrops before it, the gale swept its most powerful campaign forces straight down the coast and far into the New England states. Lowell, as usual when a real coast storm works its havoc broadcast through the history of the city, was not spared.

Electric light service was temporarily crippled in many sections of the city and surrounding towns. In some localities of the city, users of electricity were without lights until today, owing to short circuits, crossed wires and minor troubles that interfered with the service on many so-called "branch lines."

Oklauda, Pawtucketville and other sections of Lowell were hit early last evening. The big blow's force brought memories of the ice storm of 1921, when Lowell was hit harder than any other city in New England.

The ravages of the gale and storm engulfed transportation lines of the steam and electric variety early, although ordinary traffic in Lowell and the suburbs was well maintained. The street railway snow-fighting service was certainly on the job yesterday and all last night, keeping traffic lines open without a great deal of trouble and continuing good transportation service this morning.

Telephone and Telephone Lines
Western Union, New England Telephone and Postal Telegraph trunk lines have been badly hit all through New England and in the Lowell territory as well. Managers of local offices this morning reported "everything gone" outside, or nearly so. Postal company service with Boston is maintained on a single wire via Albany.

Western Union service, up to noon today, had no through service lines with any New England city, with the exception of occasional "pop" switch connections with Boston via long-distance circuits.

The storm raged all day yesterday in the Lowell territory—wet and heavy and driven by a furious gale. It was a "sticky" storm, depositing moisture that made traveling difficult, stirring and sidewalk conditions were in miserable shape late in the afternoon, as they were this morning when the workers started on their daily jaunts to places of employment in the textile mills, shops, stores, etc.

The storm showed no appearance of letting up this morning, and the telephone signals were sounded. Strangely enough, the signal service lines were not affected in the slightest by the storm, the "no-school" being heard distinctly in almost every section of the city.

The public service companies were extremely hard hit by the storm, both locally and outside the city, and any local managers admit it, although discounting it as anything very serious. Neither are the reports coming in from many districts indicative of any large damages, with the exception of the trouble reported at Alexander's turn-out and beyond to North Main station.

This "bad spot" is giving the company's repair experts a lot of work to do today.

Between those points 24 poles carrying the heavy trunk line telephone wires, are down flat. Other wires for lighting purposes dropped when the poles snapped off. All service "juice" systems in that territory are out of commission for the time being, but the local telephone "gang men" are there attending to it, being dispatched before daylight to the north trouble zone.

streets, were untouched by the storm's ravages.

The telephone company suffered heavy curtailments of the out-of-town main traffic line service last night and this morning. Many trunk lines running in all directions out of Lowell were "off" today, and hundreds of them are working at many important points in New England to erect new poles, install new wires and shake up the local and through service lines in general in order to adjust the connections now broken.

The "Polham break" is the worst damage thus far reported. The local company has 15 experts at work in many districts in this vicinity today. While long-distance connections were shut off this morning, the service on Lowell property was not greatly interfered with except at several always "dangerous points." Some trouble was reported in Centralville and in Pawtucketville.

Telephone lines were also out of order in the Boston & Maine yards, yardmen having difficulty in handling train orders last night and today, with the south yard telephone service badly "off key." Yard Master Shay reported at 11 o'clock today.

All the big telephone trunk lines to Worcester, Portland and New York, as well as to important south shore points, were affected by the storm, no connections being put through this morning. Wire Chief Johnson said.

The Newburyport-Haverhill direct line and the Amesbury division are still "lost" today. The main line north through Lawrence was interrupted for a time. Four poles were reported down.

LOWELL MAN SENTENCED IN LIQUOR CASE

In superior court at East Cambridge before Judge Mahoney this morning, Joseph Wagon of Church street, this city, was sentenced to three months in the house of correction when he was found guilty of illegally keeping liquor. In district court here, he was sentenced to a fine of \$150, a charge of operating an automobile without a license, for which he was fined \$20 here, was placed on file.

George Mord of Cheever street was also called on an old charge of illegal keeping, and was continued until next term.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, March 12. Exchange, \$59,000,000; balances, \$71,000,000.
BOSTON, March 12. Clearings, \$51,000,000; balances, \$15,000,000.

Knights of Columbus
Regular Meeting
—AND—
DEBATE
THURSDAY, MARCH 13
K. of C. Hall—8 O'Clock
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CONCORD RIVER BILL REPORTED FAVORABLY IN HOUSE

Representative Brennen's Bill Goes to First Reading
Today—Carries \$3000 Appropriation and Endorsement of Public Health Committee

(Special to The Sun)
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 12.—The ways and means committee today favorably passed an order providing a \$3,000 appropriation for an investigation of the sewage and manure factories waste nuisance in the Concord river at Lowell, Haverhill, and Chelmsford. The first reading of the bill was given in the house this afternoon.

(Special to The Sun)
favorable reports of the ways and means and public health committees being attached to the bill. Representative Owen Brennen, sponsor of the bill, said this noon that he had every confidence from the start that the bill would be favorably reported and that the only delay had been on the appropriation phase. (Edith the Continued Page 14)

TOLD MISLEADING STORY ABOUT \$100,000 LOAN AT FALL'S REQUEST

Edward B. McLean Testifying Before Senate Oil Committee Contradicts First Story About Celebrated \$100,000 Loan to Albert B. Fall

WASHINGTON, March 12. Edward B. McLean told the oil committee that he had given it misleading information about the celebrated \$100,000 loan because he trusted and desired to help his friend, Albert B. Fall. The publisher insisted that his second story about the loan, told to Senator Walsh in January at Palm Beach, Fla., was correct. He said he had loaned the former secretary \$100,000 in checks for a ranch enterprise, but that the checks were returned to him un-cashed. His previous assertion that the loan was made in cash, he said, was made at Fall's request. The latter appeared to be in trouble, he added, but had represented to him that it had nothing to do with oil.

McLean testified that he had sent to Edward B. McLean in Florida, informing him of Secretary Stamp's departure for the south. He said McLean had asked him to send such a notification and that Stamp had said it would be all right to do so.

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He said under questioning that he had searched everywhere for the stubs of tele checks he testified he had given Fall, but had been unable to find them. "There aren't any, and never were," he said. Asked Senator Walsh, democratic, Montana:

"Why, yes, there were, senator, in the house of my recollection, as I told you," the witness replied.

Conference With Fall
McLean then said that at a conference he had with Fall at Atlantic City last December, Fall asked him if he would say that he had loaned him the \$100,000 in cash instead of in un-cashed checks.

"Fall assured me," he said, "that the loan had nothing to do with Sinclair and Tea Pot Dome."

McLean insisted that his credit was good at the time he gave Fall the \$100,000, if necessary. He said Fall agreed to advise him before undertaking to cash the checks.

Services as \$1 a Year Man
"None of my character," McLean said when asked what service he had rendered as a dollar-a-year secretary of the department of justice.

26 OF CREW LOST

Steamer Santiago Went Down
60 Miles South of Cape Hatteras

NEW YORK, March 12.—Twenty-six members of the crew of the steamer Santiago reported to have sunk 60 miles south of Cape Hatteras, are believed to have been lost, according to officials of the New York & Cuba Mail Steamship Co., owners of the missing vessel.

The Santiago, which left Cienfuegos, Cuba, for New York, March 4, with a cargo of sugar, carried a crew of 35 men. The scant information received by the line officials says that but nine members of the crew have been accounted for.



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NOTICE

Old Homestead Lodge, No. 319—Entire membership called upon to attend special call meeting Thursday Evening, March 13th, at 7:45 o'clock. W. R. Cleary to report on ballot, also other matters of importance.

O. F. KENNEY, Pres.



ADMITTS HER PERFECTIONS
Lily Leonhart (above in two poses), English vaudeville artist now in this country, claims her legs were much more beautiful than the million-dollar pair of Mlle. Mistinguett and that her back is prettier than Eva Tanguay's. That's what she says, so what's the use of mincing words?

MERRIMACK SQ. COMING SOON

POLA NEGRI in
"SHADOWS OF PARIS"

LAST TIMES TONIGHT—THOMAS MEIGHAN IN "PIED PIPER MALONE." ALL STAR CAST IN "CAUSE FOR DIVORCE." COMEDY, NEWS AND THE BOSTON POST REEL, "THE ROMANCE OF COFFEE."

THURSDAY—FRIDAY—SATURDAY
A ROMANCE OF NEW YORK'S MAIN STREET

ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN



FRED THOMPSON in "NORTH OF NEVADA"
COMEDY, NEWS, BOSTON POST REEL

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AMUSEMENT CENTRE OF LOWELL
SCORING THE BIGGEST HIT OF THE SEASON
HARRY WEBB'S Orchestra
DESPITE THE BAD WEATHER YESTERDAY, CAPACITY AUDIENCES AT BOTH PERFORMANCES
BIG SURROUNDING PROGRAM
Laugh with BLACKFACE RIDDLE NELSON, BERT SHADOW and LILLIAN MCNEEL in musical comedy hits, "Wait a Minute," a surprise sketch with JACK KENNEY and HILARY WARD; CARD-NIGHT and AUBREY in "A Few Minutes in Songland," SYLVIA and PHILIP in a vaudeville oddity, "Hunting."
"THE LOVE BANDIT" with DOUGLAS KENYON, the week's photoplay offering.

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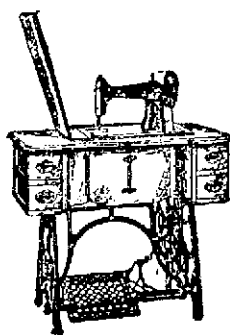
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Thursday Morning Specials

BOYS' CLOTHING
Boys' School Pants, straight and bloomer style, sizes 6, 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, 16, 17; regularly \$1.45 **\$1.00**
"Little Buddie" Suits, wash top heavy poplin with jersey lined pants, sizes 2, 3, 4, 5; regularly \$4.00 value **\$2.95**
Corduroy Two Pant Suits, sizes 15, 16; Tweed two pant suits, sizes 10, 12, 16; pants lined; regularly \$9.95 **\$6.95**

KNIT UNDERWEAR
Women's Medium Weight Suits, bodice style, ankle length; regularly \$9.00 **49c**
Women's Swiss Rib Vests, regular and bodice style, extra sizes; regularly 50c to 65c **39c**

STATIONERY
Easter Stationery, a very attractive selection, at **One-Half Regular Prices**

SMALLWARES
Barbour's White Linen Thread, 100 yards on spool; regularly 10c **5c**
Common Pins; regularly 10c package, **2 for 15c**
Grosgrain Silk Seam Binding, black and white; regularly 25c **15c**
Ribbon Elastic, suitable for garter and arm bands, various colors; regularly 60c. Yard, **45c**

WASH GOODS
Assortment of 27 Inch Gingham, Duckling Fleece, Eden Flannel, to close at, yard. **10c**

DOMESTICS
Pequot Sheets, \$1.00 **\$1.79**
Fruit of the Loom Pillow Cases—(factory ticket)—regular price 39c. 4 to a customer, **29c**

HOSIERY
Children's Wool Golf Socks, all sizes in the lot; were 85c to \$1.75 **39c**

DRAPERY DEPARTMENT
Squares, including silk mohair, velvet, tapestry or damask; size 25x25 inch to 30x30 inch; regular price by the yard \$6.00 to \$8.00. Suitable for pillows, table covers or chair seats. Each **98c**
Terry Cloth, ends of pieces from 1 to 8 yards, reversible, suitable for overdrapes, couch covers, portieres, etc., 36 inches wide; regularly 98c. Yard **68c**
Cretonne, 36 inches wide, good assortment of colors and patterns to select from; regular 25c **15c**
Ruffle Dotted Marquisette Curtains, good quality marquisette with small woven dots, good full ruffle to match; regular \$1.98. **\$1.25**

ART DEPARTMENT
White and Ecru Linen, 18, 22, 27 and 36 inches wide, short lengths only, suitable for scarfs and center pieces. **Half Price**
Third Floor

JEWELRY
Dress Buckles, for coats and dresses, all colors; regularly 59c **39c**
Hat Ornaments, Rhinestone in all shapes, some black and white; regularly 59c. **45c**
Religious Candles, one dozen candles with glass holder, red and blue; regularly 60c. **49c**
Hair Pins, shell or amber, 3, 5, 8, in box, all shapes; regularly 10c box **3 boxes for 19c**

HANDKERCHIEFS
Women's All Linen Handkerchiefs; regularly 17c and 25c **12 1/2c**

TRIMMINGS
All-over Lace Flouncings; regularly \$1.08 yd. **\$1**

TOILET GOODS AND DRUGS
Lace Castle Soap; regularly 20c. **3 for 45c**
Squibb's Dental Cream; regularly 43c. **39c**
Colorite Hat Dye; regularly 23c **19c**
Pond's Cold Cream or Vanishing Cream; regularly 55c **49c**

SHOE DEPARTMENT
Women's Brown Oxfords, Queen Quality and other makes, many different patterns, but only a few sizes in any pattern; regularly \$5 to \$9 shoes **\$2.98**
Street Floor

LINENS
All Pure Linen Huck Towels, hemstitched; 50c and 60c **39c**

MEN'S FURNISHINGS
Semi-Soft Collars, "Long Beach," "Dial Beach," "Palm Beach," sizes 14, 15, 15 1/2, 16, 16 1/2; were 25c **10c**
Medium Weight Half Hose, for spring, silk and wool; were \$1 and \$1.50, **2 for \$1.25**
Boys' Shirts, sizes 12, 12 1/2, 13, 13 1/2; were \$1.00 **59c**

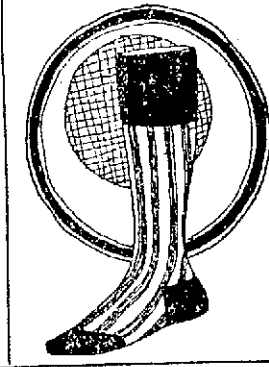
LEATHER GOODS
Beaded Bags, draw string top, in colors; regular \$2.00 **98c**

HOSIERY
Some Remarkable Bargains in Women's Hose—Silk and wool and wool. See counter display.

LEATHER GOODS
Hand Bags, envelope and pouch style in black, brown, or tan, some with mirror and purse; regularly \$2.00 **95c**

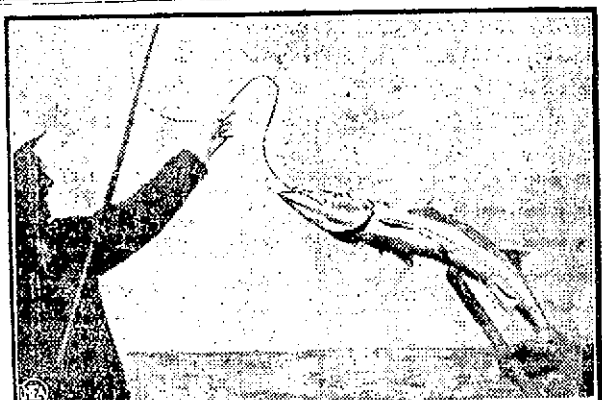
CORSET SHOP
R. & G. Corsets, elastic top model, white brocade, sizes 22 to 28; regularly \$4.50. **\$2.19**
Second Floor

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Men's Lisle
1-2 Socks
Black, Brown,
Grey, Navy.

Now **29c** Pair



IT'S A BIG ONE!
N. Jerlaw of Chicago pulled this big barracuda, tiger of the sea, down at Long Key, Fla. The photographer was on hand when he did it.

COLLINSVILLE MAN REPORTED MISSING

Constant Jouker of Collinsville is reported as missing from home and the police have been asked by his relatives to assist in learning his whereabouts. He left home Sunday noon and was last seen walking along Lakeside avenue in the direction of Lakeside park. He is said to be subject to spells of melancholy.

POOR CHILD, WHY ARE YOU SO THIN?

Don't your mother know that Cod Liver Oil will put pounds of good healthy flesh on your bones in just a few weeks?
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THE MOODY SCHOOL
Parent-Teacher Association Elects Officers—Reading of Constitution and By-Laws
The election of officers of the Moody school Parent-Teacher association was held yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the association which was largely

attended despite the uninviting weather. The reading of the constitution and by-laws was also on the afternoon's program.
Mrs. George Laney was elected president of the association; Mrs. R. S. Glogston, first vice president; Miss Margaret Glogston, second vice president; Mrs. Charles A. Robinson, secretary; and Mrs. Charles M. Cunningham, treasurer.

Wednesday and Thursday



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AT THE HIGHLAND

UNION M. E. CHURCH

A three-act comedy entitled "Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard," musical selections by Mrs. Everett E. Jackman, and humorous selections by Rev. Mr. Jackman, made up a fine entertainment given at Highland Union M.E. church last night by the Epworth League. Candy and grab tables were also.

conducted by the Misses Marion Smith, Doris Anderson and Doris Wadsworth.

The committee which assisted Fred Wadsworth in making arrangements

for the play was composed of Rev. Mr. Jackman and the Misses Ena Harrison, Ethel Timmins and Mildred Johnson.

Those participating in the play were Ena Harrison, Ruth Harris, Ethel Timmins, Donald Collins, Harry Brown, Edna Wadsworth, Mildred Johnson, Virginia Hilton, Carroll Brown, Anna Winters and Robert Tim-

mons.

in charge of the affair consisted of Thomas Kerwin and Harold Giffin.

TESTIMONIAL BANQUET

A testimonial banquet was tendered Stewart Mackay, instructor at the Lowell Textile school, in Marie's restaurant last night by members of his class in designing and cloth analysis.

Following the banquet a social gathering was enjoyed, and Mr. Mackay was presented a 32nd degree Masonic watch chain by Thomas Kerwin on behalf of the class as a token of their appreciation of his untiring efforts in their behalf. The committee

in charge of the affair consisted of Thomas Kerwin and Harold Giffin.



WORKING FOR INDEPENDENCE

Photo shows some of the Filipinos who have been working for independence for the Philippine Islands. The house committee has favorably reported the Philippine bill. Commissioner Isauro Gabaldon (right) is shown holding one corner of the Philippine flag.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Richmond Kelley of Medford street, Somerville, brakeman, had a narrow escape from probable death yesterday morning shortly after 9 o'clock, when he fell between the cars of a moving freight train on the Stonybrook branch of the B. & M. railroad near Danversville and received only minor bruises.

A locomotive and two cars passed over the brakeman as he flattened himself out between the rails after he took his sudden plunge. He was taken to the Lowell General hospital, where an examination revealed that Kelley escaped with slight injuries to his spine and lacerations about the head

and arms. His condition is not considered serious. The brakeman has a wife and three children living in Somerville.

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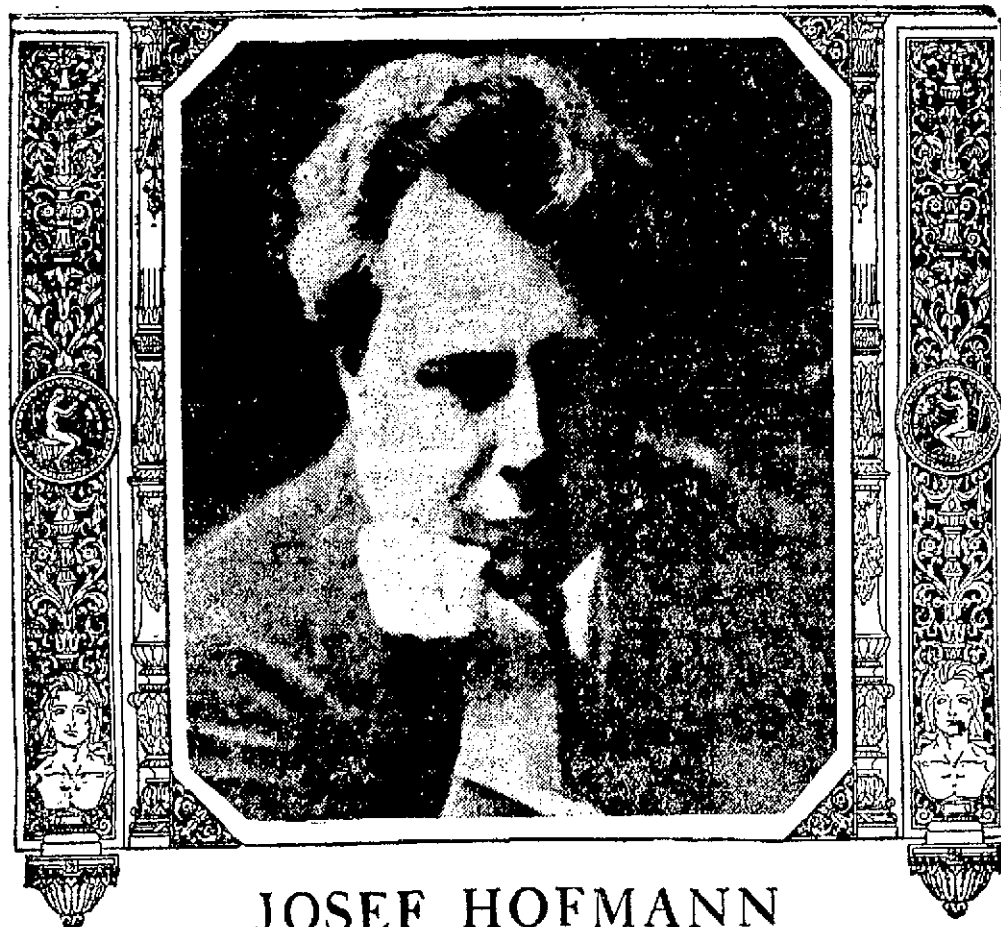
Mazola is not a grease—but a wholesome, easily digested fat. That is why Mazola-fried foods are easy to digest—and free from grease.

Many mothers, realizing the health and food value of Mazola, give a spoonful or two to their growing children.

When you think of frying, think of Mazola—use it once and you will never go back to the old-fashioned, greasy methods of frying.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Smoker and Entertainment
Gives Impetus to Fourth
Degree Exemplification

Under the auspices of Bishop Delany Assembly, Fourth Degree, Knights of Columbus, a very enjoyable smoker and entertainment was held in K. of C. hall, last night with the members of Lowell council, 72, as guests. The affair was conducted to give impetus to the exemplification of the fourth degree in the Memorial Auditorium on May 4.

ing by auto prevented some of the speakers from coming. However, those who spoke were former District Deputy Charles J. Landow, Mayor John J. Donovan of this city, Frank A. Groves, Grand Knight of Lowell council, Hon. James B. Casey, Louis A. Kuno of Lawrence and William H. Gallagher.

Each of the above took occasion to refer to the proposed exemplification of the fourth degree, saying that the local affair on May 4 will surpass any similar function ever conducted by the order in this state. Mr. Casey gave a fine talk on the coming degree and was well received.

The entertainment program was given by a group of artists from Cambridge under the direction of District Deputy John C. Haverly. Thomas A. Quinn, the noted tenor of the University city, received a big hand. Other artists were Arthur Crowley, Joseph McDonald and Prof. Holt, the latter acting as accompanist. John P. Bradetich of Lowell also assisted in the program.

The inclement weather and difficult travel-

vorite in Lowell, spoke happily on his visit. He told a few good stories and then urged Lowell council members to assist in putting across to a successful climax the big degree in May.

Dr. Kelloher, of Cambridge major of the Massachusetts National Guard and captain in the Yankee division in the World war, spoke briefly and appreciatively of the affair and said that the enthusiasm of the meeting was a fine indication of the success of the exemplification. District Deputy Haverly sang a topical song in fine style and the chairman closed the meeting by thanking the artists for their contribution and the members for turning out so well.

Among the guests were John A. Cavan, Owen S. Donahue, Louis A. Kane, Walter S. Chandler and John H. Kelly of Lawrence.

The success of the affair was due in no small measure to the active committee headed by Past District Deputy Charles J. Landow and consisting of George B. Delaney, John E. Hart, P. G. K., Andrew Molloy, P. G. K., and Chief Edward P. Saunders.

HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Mrs. Louis N. Olney Re-elected President of the Y. W. C. A.—Other Officers

At the annual meeting and election of the Y. W. C. A. yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Louis N. Olney was re-



MRS. LOUIS N. OLNEY
President

-elected president of the association. The meeting which was held in the reception room of the building in John street was largely attended despite the inclement weather.

The meeting opened with the reading

of prayers by Mrs. Olney after which the yearly reports of the International Institute, the physical education department, Girl Reserve report, financial report and general secretary's report, were read.

The officers elected for the year were:

President, Mrs. Louis N. Olney; first vice president, Mrs. Arthur D. Wright; second vice president, Mrs. Nathan Pulkett; secretary, Mrs. David Dewar; treasurer, Miss Mary G. Lamson.

The board of directors and the year in which their terms expire are as follows: Mrs. Joseph Barker (1925), Miss Helen Barnes (1925), Miss Elsie A. Brad (1925), Mrs. Charles Drew (1925), Mrs. Walter L. Muzzey (1925), Miss Emily Skilton (1925), Mrs. John A. Stevens (1925), Mrs. Cumner Talbot (1925), Mrs. A. E. Taylor (1925), Mrs. George Upton (1925), Mrs. William L. Wiggins (1925), Mrs. Millard Wood (1925).

New directors elected to fill unexpired terms were Mrs. W. B. Hatch, Mrs. Charles Upton, Miss Louise Grover and Mrs. Lewis Putnam.

New directors elected to fill three-year terms were Mrs. E. P. Holden, Mrs. D. L. Targe, Mrs. Forrest Marshall, Mrs. Willard A. Parker, Mrs. W. Blake Irvine, Miss Helen Buttrick and Mrs. George F. Surtivant.

The secretary's report read by Miss Anna Baker, general secretary was most comprehensive including a report of the employment and rooms registry, the number of rooms occu-

pled, home activities, religious activities, domestic and social classes sponsored by the various branches of the Y. W. C. A., physical education department, under which came indoor and outdoor sports and camp activities, cafeteria receipts, international institute activities, special events, community contacts, meetings in the association rooms and national board visitors.

Following the business session refreshments were served, Mrs. Olney acting as hostess. Mrs. George T. Upton was in charge of the serving.

WOMAN'S SECRET CHARM

In perfect health lies the secret of woman's charm which makes her radiate cheer and happiness wherever she goes. No one enjoys listening to the aches, pains and woes of an ailing, nervous, irritable woman, and her condition is plainly stamped upon every feature. The most effective remedy for woman's ailments ever discovered has proved to be Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Women are soon restored to health by its use and acquire the charm that health alone can give.—Adv.

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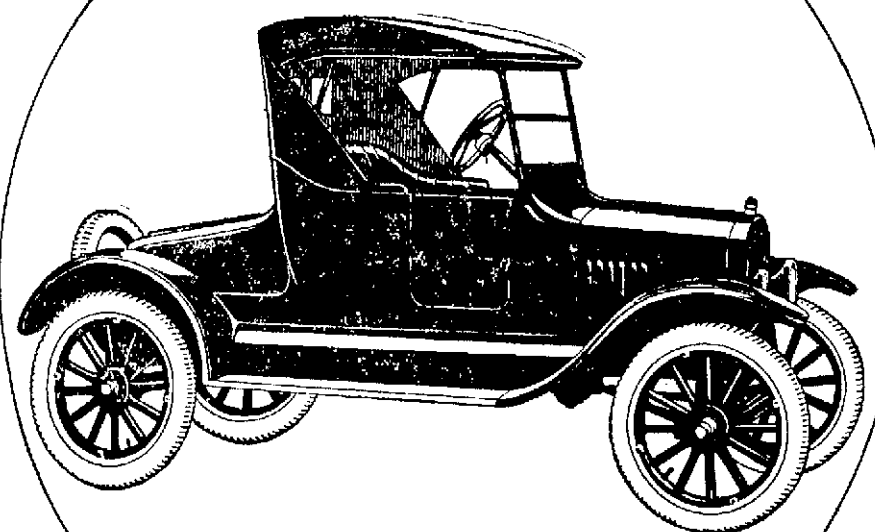
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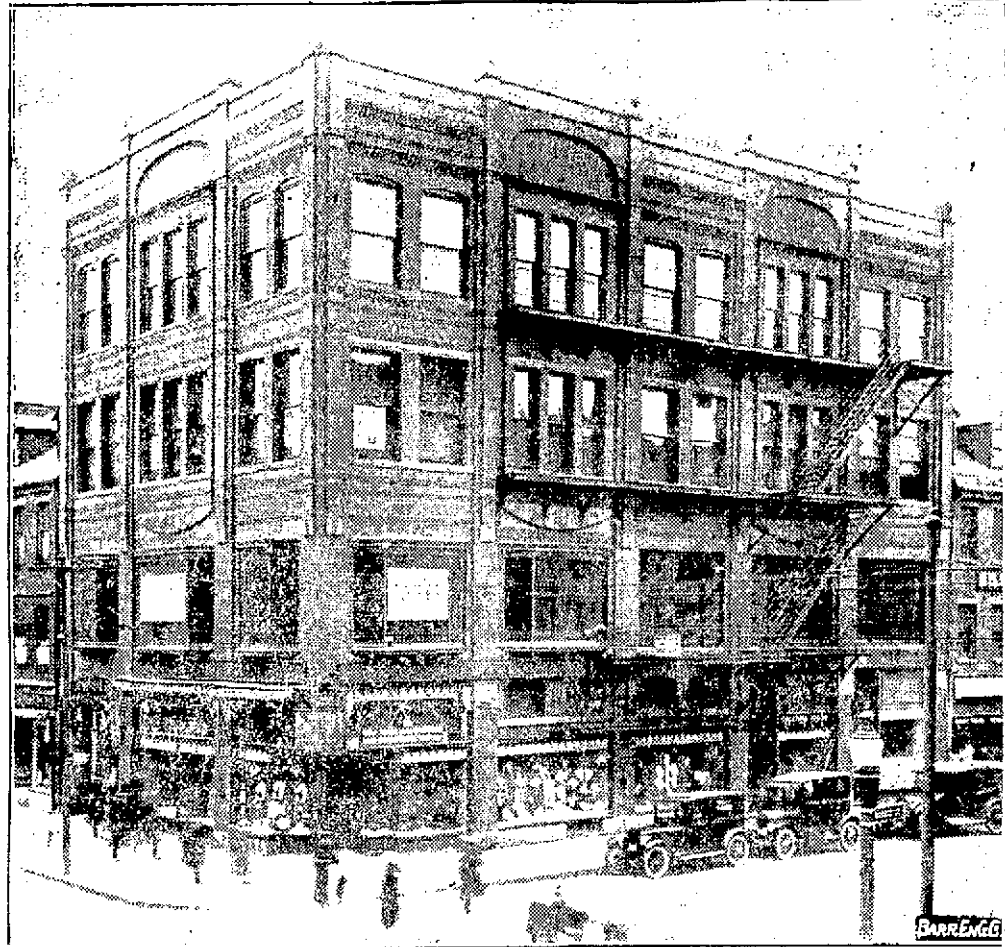
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WOODWORK FROM
DAVIS AND SARGENT

The Davis & Sargent Lumber Co. of Lowell provided all of the woodwork, doors, sash and the like which went into the new Enterprise building. The inspection of the building will reveal the quality of the material which this local concern is capable of producing and provides an insight into the reasons contributing to its remarkable growth.

The Davis & Sargent concern is widely known in Lowell and specializes in such material, always insuring capable workmanship, proper materials and prompt deliveries.

PLASTERING DONE BY
MATTHIAS F. CONNOR

Matthias F. Connor of Lowell was entrusted with the plastering of the new Enterprise building. Mr. Connor long ago established a reputation in this line of construction and he needs no introduction to Lowell people. His organization is well fitted to handle such big jobs as this one proved to be. This is only one of many such undertakings it has handled. Mr. Connor is ready to submit bids on all such undertakings, always guaranteeing to give satisfaction.

HEW CONSTRUCTION CO.
GENERAL CONTRACTOR

The general contractor in charge of the reconstruction of the Mansur block to be known hereafter as the Enterprise building, is the Hew Construction Co., of 197 Sidney street, Cambridge, of which Murray Weiss is the proprietor and engineer. Mr. Weiss was also in charge of the recently remodeled Merrimack Square theatre. In fact he has direct supervision of all building of such nature undertaken by the Famous Players-Lasky Corp., one of the largest film producers and theatre operating concerns.

Mr. Weiss' concern is equipped in every respect to handle all kinds of buildings, including mill construction. Its organization is especially framed with that idea constantly in mind and the buildings which it has erected stand as monuments to the proficiency which the concern has attained.

GUYETTE IN CHARGE
OF NEW BUILDING

A new business block in every respect, the Enterprise building, for many years known as the Mansur Block, is to be thrown open to the public today for inspection. The building will be in the charge of Walter E. Guyette, veteran real estate man, to whom application for rentals should be directed. Mr. Guyette has been chosen by the owners to handle this important adjunct to Lowell's business buildings as a result of his many years of experience in that line of business and because of the confidence with which he is regarded by the public of Lowell.

Mr. Guyette has followed the development of the building since its reconstruction was undertaken some time ago and his advice has been sought as to the lines which that reconstruction should follow. The addition of this important piece of realty to the holdings already entrusted to the care of Mr. Guyette's office places a heavy portion of Lowell's business in his charge.

In addition to his extensive real estate business, Mr. Guyette is also an auctioneer of note and has handled numerous large sales with a high degree of success, principally general real estate and mill properties. General insurance is also handled by his office.

Doctors Didn't Help
Her Sickly Child
Is Strong and Healthy Now.
Mother Says Milks Emulsion
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Last May my three-year-old baby was taken very ill, not so bad that we expected her to die at any time. Had four doctors but they did not know what ailed her and finally stopped coming. She had been sick about 5 months when I started giving her Milks Emulsion. I noticed results from the first and by the time she had taken two bottles she was absolutely strong and healthy. I am thankful to say Milks Emulsion saved her life. Mrs. Wilks S. Pitts, Nacogdoches, Texas.

For restoring appetite, health, and strength in sickly children, mothers will find Milks Emulsion the thing they have always sought. Most children like to take it, because, unlike many emulsions and tonics, it really tastes good.

Milks Emulsion restores healthy, natural bowel action; it is a truly corrective medicine, doing away with all needs of pills and physics. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food, and thus build flesh and strength. Milks Emulsion is strongly recommended to those whose sickness has weakened it, is a powerful aid in restoring and repairing the effects of wasting diseases. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved.

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DAUGHTERS OF VETERANS
HOLD CELEBRATION

Members of Mary E. Smith Tent No. 23, Daughters of Veterans, last evening celebrated in Memorial hall the twenty-third anniversary of the organization. It was one of the happiest social events of the season in D. of V. circles. Guests of the local tent included members of Mrs. John E. Sullivan of Tent 28, Lawrence, who were delighted with the entertainment provided partly in their honor.

The committee handling last night's social included Helen Smith, Florence Gray, Mrs. Arline Audrey and Miss Alice Tobin. In the afternoon, members of the Lowell tent gathered to play whist. Prizes were won as follows: First, Margaret Ruess; second, Mrs. Grace Tobin; third, Louise Davis; fourth, Mary E. Smith. Miss Hattie Whitney received the consolation. Before the evening social, the tent members held a routine business meeting, Miss Whitney acting in the absence of the regular chaplain and Mrs. Josephine Douglas, president, handling the gavel.

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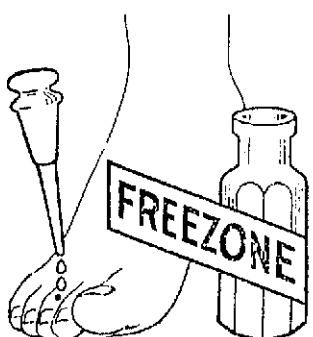
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RELIEF CAMPAIGN FOR GERMAN CHILDREN

The first step in the Lowell campaign for the relief of German children will be a thorough explanation of the needs of the children given by those who have a thorough knowledge of conditions there. For this purpose



PERRY D. THOMPSON
Chairman

probably make a few brief remarks on the progress of the work here in New England. Supporting Mr. Sprague in the New England campaign are: Geo. L. Crossman, Ellis Loring Dresser, Dr. Charles W. Elliot, Edward A. Flinn, Dr. Harry A. Garfield, Ralph Hornblower, His Eminence Cardinal O'Connor.

The world knows of the unselfish and efficient service the Quakers rendered in Germany immediately following the armistice. Supported by Herbert Hoover's committee, whose funds they handled in Germany, they fed as many as 1,010,000 at one time. When conditions became better, they withdrew.

Now the situation is far more frightful than ever before. The German government has appealed to the Friends to come back and help them.

The distribution of food in Germany and the expenditure of funds collected by the American committee for the relief of German children is entirely in the hands of Quakers. Every cent of every dollar contributed goes directly for the relief of starving German children. Expenses of administration and operation is taken care of by the Quakers independently of funds collected for food.

LOCAL BUSINESS WOMEN

Lowell Business Women's Club Forms Temporary Organization

Temporary organization of the Lowell Business Women's club was effected at Cole's Inn last night at a luncheon gathering of 64 of the city's leading business and professional women. Edward J. Conney opened the meeting, Mrs. Ross Jordan Hartford being elected temporary chairman and Miss Michelle Whitlock secretary.

Speakers in addition to Mr. Conney were Benjamin S. Pouzner, ex-Mayor James B. Casey, Daniel P. Carroll, Fred J. Nevery and William Bolger. A representative committee of nine was chosen to perfect organization, draw up constitution and by-laws and arrange for another meeting to be held in two weeks. The temporary officers will serve ex-officio on this committee and the other members are Miss Emily P. Skilton, Mrs. Bromley Shepard, Miss Irene Matthews, Miss Lillie S. Cutler, Dr. Laura B. Deane, Miss Eleanor Rivet, Mrs. Mary E. Hall, Mrs. Lemkin and Mrs. McGinnis.

The adoption of a permanent name, the matter of a program of work and other incidentals were taken up at the meeting of the committee which followed the session. Those present last night were all enthused at the prospects of success of the club and every indication pointed to a successful launching of the organization.

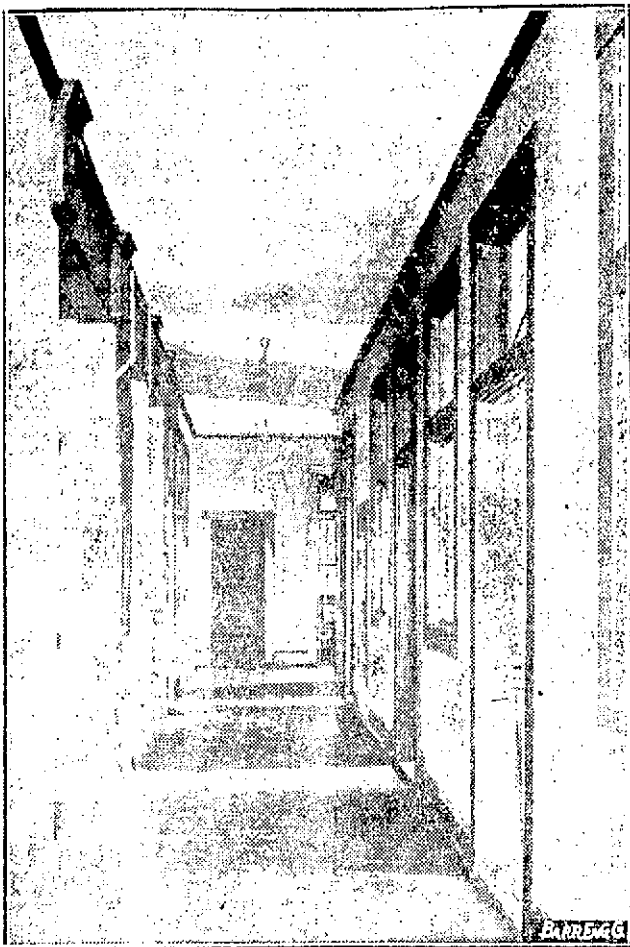
Mr. Pouzner was the principal speaker of the evening and in his talk he urged the new organization to "make haste slowly" and to plan its program well ahead at the same time being careful not to make it too ambitious. He pointed out that the new organization has a wide field of usefulness before it and said that the need of such an organization was proven by the magnificent turnout despite the inclement weather. Mr. Pouzner told of many pitfalls to be avoided and his constructive suggestions were enthusiastically received.

Those present not mentioned above were: Katherine MacKinnon, Mrs. Gilman, Mrs. Mary Dunlap Leighton, Mrs. Daniel Brown, Miss Ann Baker, Mrs. J. N. Cole, Miss L. Barber, Mrs. Grace Brock, Misses A. Wallace, Florence A. Miller, Nellie Tully, Mary Lane, Sadie Tully, Mrs. Jessie A. Howe, Mrs. Nap Lauffer, Misses Nichols, Emma M. Wells, Mrs. J. B. Quinby, Misses Maude Plumstead, Katherine Blennerhassett, Edna Briggs, Jessie McGarrald, Susie Thorpe, Fern Graden, B. B. McKean, Sally Fitzpatrick, Mrs. James H. Flood, Miss Emily Skilton, Mrs. James A. Hearn, Mrs. Lovett, Mrs. James B. Casey, Misses Elizabeth Rogers, Julia A. Rogers, Irene Matthews, Miss Hollowell, Mrs. Lemkin, Mrs. Way, Mrs. Walter Damon, Misses Eva A. Dupois, Elsie Lequin, Mrs. Prantiss, Miss Leona Small, Mrs. T. J. McCann, Misses Katherine P. O'Brien, B. T. Cryan, Helen C. Bradley, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Helen M. Knapp, Mrs. Humphreys, Miss Margaret Dear, Mrs. N. J. Picheta and Mrs. Hall.

Mrs. Hartford announced the following committee on organization: Ross Jordan Hartford, Mabelle F. Whitlock, Mrs. Helen Knapp, Miss Ann Baker, Emily Skilton, Eleanor Rivet, Dr. Laura B. Deane, Lillie S. Cutler, Irene Matthews, Mrs. Lemkin, Mrs. McGinnis, Miss Ann Baker, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Bromley Shepard.

ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT CONCERT
At a meeting in Y.M.C.A. hall last night, Martin Conley, hall committee chairman of the St. Patrick's night concert in the Memorial Auditorium, announced that a beautiful souvenir will be presented every person entering the hall on the occasion of the big affair on the night of March 17.

The United States has 19 first line battleships.



VIEW OF THE MAIN CORRIDOR IN THE ENTERPRISE BUILDING

PRODUCERS DISCUSS

MILK PRICE CUTS

The district meeting of the New England Milk Producers' association, held yesterday afternoon in Odd Fellows hall, Bridge street, called to a large attendance of members from this section of Middlesex county, anxious to discuss milk price cuts, outside competition matters and the wholesale and retail business in general. More than 50 milk farmers from Lowell and suburban towns were there. Arthur W. Colburn of Braintree presided at the rally and District Manager Leon Brown came down from Lawrence to take a prominent part in the discussions. The meeting was not open to the public.

Milk producers are complaining that the present price of milk does not allow them to make any real profit and they fear that they will have to sell their cows and give up the business altogether. No plans were outlined yesterday to relieve this situation, so far as could be learned.

Mr. E. M. Moseley, local milk inspector, appeared before the members and told of the methods employed to maintain local milk standards. He was pledged strong support in his efforts to obtain for Lowell consumers quality milk at all times. The sales committee of the producers was given authority to continue its investigation of the present situation in the milk-distributing industry and report at a later meeting.

HELD SEWING MEETING

The all-day sewing meeting of the Lowell General Hospital Aid association, then held at the corner Universalist church yesterday, was well attended and at the meeting following the sewing session it was announced that 260 finished articles were turned in for the month. The members of the association entertained the women of the church and the meeting next month will be held at St. Anne's parish house.

DINNER AND SHOWER

A dinner and shower was tendered Miss May Hopper of North Chelmsford in Marie's restaurant last evening by a group of 30 of her friends. Dinner was served in a private dining room in the restaurant at 8 o'clock. Following dinner a musical entertainment was given and Miss Hopper was presented a set of dishes by Mrs. John Lloyd on behalf of the women present. Miss Hopper is to become the bride of Sidney Cooper of North Chelmsford on April 26. The affair was in charge of Mrs. James Noble.

PILGRIM ENCAMPMENT

Pilgrim Encampment, I.O.O.F., held its regular meeting Monday evening and considerable routine business was transacted. Following the business meeting a rehearsal for the royal purple degree was held. Lawrence Encampment will be the guest of the local encampment on March 23 and the royal purple degree will be conferred on a large class consisting of members of both Lawrence and Pilgrim Encampments.

CHIMNEY FIRE

A chimney fire at 50 Appleton street was responsible for a telephone alarm June.

at 12:30 o'clock this morning. The fire was extinguished without any difficulty and the damage was slight.

VISITORS FROM FRAMINGHAM

Several students of the vocational course at the Framingham State Normal school, senior members, attended the household arts exhibition being conducted at the girls' vocational school. They were the guests of the local girls at lunch. The party under the direction of Miss Edna Sturtevant, resident supervisor in charge of the school, included Miss Kathleen Hogan of this city who will be graduated from the Framingham Normal school in June.

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We will gladly explain to you the simple operation of the "J. B. L. Cascade," why it is so certain in its results, and will give you free of cost an interesting little book containing the results of the experience of Dr. Chas. A. Tyrolic of New York, who was a specialist on intestinal complaints for 25 years in that city. Get a free booklet at L. S. Higgins' Green's Drug Store

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OLD LADY GOSSIP

OIL LEASE SCANDAL

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GOSSIP

DAN WATT

THURSDAY

Gloves

Women's Strap Wrist Fabric Gloves, with embroidered and crocheted cuffs. Retail prices \$1.50 to \$2.25. Thursday Special \$1

Women's Fabric Gloves, in 12-button lengths. Strap wrist gauntlet, also 2-cuff gloves. Retail prices \$1.00 to \$1.50. Thursday Special 50¢ Street Floor

Infants' and Children's Section

Infants' Vests, of fine ribbed jersey. Wrapper style. sizes, Infants to 2 years. Thursday Special35¢

Diapers—Heamed, one dozen diapers in package, 27x27. Thursday Special \$2.25 pkc.

Cotton Sheets—26x52, hem-stitched hem. Thursday Special95¢

Pillow Cases Hemstitched hem. Thursday Special 35¢

Infants' Long Slips, of soft white cotton, with denim lace edging at neck and shoes. Infants' sizes only. Thursday Special 75¢55¢

Third Floor

Pilet Goods

Cucumber Cream, Reg. price
Thursday Special, 30c
Tannet Powder, Reg. price
Thursday Special, 70c
Reg. price 50c, Thursday
Special, 35c
Nail Polish, Reg. price
Thursday Special, 10c
Shampoo, Reg. price 50c,
Thursday Special, 35c
Clay, Perfume, Reg.
\$3.00 oz., Thursday
Special, \$2.00 oz.
En Air Embanue Sacket,
Reg. price \$1.50 oz.,
Thursday Special,
84.15 Oz.
Incense Powder and
Candles — Sandal-
wood, Wisteria,
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hats, black,
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\$52.50 Beaver Trimmed Coats, brown, Thursday Special, \$24.75

\$26.50 Minkie Coats, grey, tan, brown, Thursday Special, \$10.00

\$14.75 Checked Flannel Dresses, Misses' sizes, Thursday Special, \$10.00

\$5.00 Girls' Wool Serge Dresses, sized to 14, Thursday Special, \$1.40

\$7.50 Girls' Wool Crepe Dresses, sized to 14, Thursday Special, \$2.35

\$5.00 Wrap-Around Skirts, navy, burg, Thursday Special, \$1.05

\$1.00 Manicurists' White All-over Aprons, Thursday Special, \$1.00

\$1.00 Cotton Taffeta Petticoats, colors and black, Thursday Special, \$1.00

\$3.00 Taffeta Petticoats, navy and black, Thursday Special, \$1.40

Second Floor

Linen Section

Turkish Towels, with fancy jacquard borders, store for monograms, silk borders; in blue, pink, gold, and lavender. One of very finest forry. Reg. price \$36, Thursday Special \$30.00

White Linen, 36 in. All white linen, suitable for the embroidery, dress, trimming and for underware purposes. Warranted pure flax. Fine weave. Reg. price \$1.10 yard, Thursday Special \$1.00 yard

Glass Toweling--All linen glass toweling of fine-weave and good weight. This is an exceptionally good toweling but only red checks could be had. Reg. price \$30 yard, Thursday Special \$25.00 yard

Linen Damask, 70 in. very fine linen damask, made from selected long thread yarns that insure its long life and prevent it from linting. An excellent damask for general satisfaction. Reg. price \$2.75 yard, Thursday Special \$2.40 yard

Palmer Street Store

Hand Bags of Leather and Beads

Velvet, Pin Seal and Gilt Skin Pouch Bags, metal and covered frames, attached or separate purses. Regular price \$3.00, Thursday Special, \$1.05

Pouch Bags, in black and brown, metal frames, with purse and mirror. Regular price, \$2.00, Thursday Special, \$1.00

Beaded Bags, draw string style in combinations of colors. Regular price \$4.00 and \$6.00

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127 BODIES TAKEN FROM MINE

CASLEGATE, Utah, March 12.—The dead removed from Utah Fuel Co. mine No. 2 had reached 127 early today, leaving 46 of the 173 entombed by a series of explosions Saturday unaccounted for. Hope for the safety of any of them has long been abandoned. Work of removing the bodies was greatly hampered during the night by unexpected obstructions and by water in the workings as a result of the failure of the pumps. The first funerals will be held today.

CLUB SIRLOIN STEAK

Good Quality Beef, lb. 25c

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ASSAULT AND BATTERY

BillERICA Highways Department Teamster Charged With Assaulting Surveyor

Edward McMillen, a teamster in the employ of the highways department of the town of Billerica, was arrested in district court this morning, charged with assault and battery on Edgar F. Twombly, highway surveyor, and on a plea of not guilty he was continued in \$500 bonds until March 12.

McMillen was arrested by Chief Henry Livingston yesterday afternoon after the highway surveyor informed him that McMillen had assaulted him with a heavy iron board during an argument which ensued at the town stables when the teamster refused to comply with an order to do a certain piece of work. Twombly and McMillen both appeared in court this morning showing the effect of the melee, the former's face and left ear being bandaged and the latter sporting a black and swollen eye. Twombly's injuries necessitated treatment by Dr. Maurice A. Buck of Billerica.

CAT HAS PENDANT FOR TREE CLIMBING

For the third time within a week, a venturesome cat in Huntington street had to be assisted from a lofty position in a tree when a telephone call to Agent Richardson of the Humane society yesterday afternoon resulted in Tabby's rescue by Harrison Baker, assistant to Mr. Richardson. Mr. Baker, by using a ladder, ascended to a high elevation in the height of yesterday afternoon's storm to effect the rescue and found that the cat was the same identical one which twice before aspirated to an altitudinous distance in the Huntington street tree.

The population of India is three times that of the United States. Mexico has had seven presidents since 1910.

MATERNAL AND INFANT

HYGIENE WORK

An all-day study course on maternal and infant hygiene opened this morning in the hall, Memorial Auditorium, under the direction of the state health department. Dr. Merrill Chapman, director of the division of hygiene, was to speak this morning on the progress in this state in maternal and infant hygiene work. Dr. E. F. Pasquies was to follow him with the topic "Recent Advance and Trend in Obstetrics." Due to the inability of either to be present Dr. Mary Leighton of the state health department substituted and handled both subjects in a thorough and understanding manner.

A recess was taken from 11:30 o'clock until 1:30 this afternoon. The afternoon program follows:

1:30—Recent Advance and Trends in Pediatrics, Eli Rosenberg, M.D., Boston.
2:30—The Pre-School Child, Fredrick Moore, M.D., State Department of Public Health.
2:50—What Are We Learning From the Study of Maternal and Infant Deaths? Mabel A. Southern, M.D., State Department of Public Health.
3:10—What Are We Learning From the Survey of Child Hygiene Activities? Miss Madeleine Wayne, State Department of Public Health.
3:30—Problems and Progress in Maternal and Infant Hygiene in This Country, Charles E. Simpson, M.D., District Health Officer, State Department of Public Health.

CASES DISPOSED OF IN DISTRICT COURT

Arthur Manseau, who was arrested by Officer William Canale in Great Neck yesterday for the police of Syracuse, N. Y., on a non support charge, will be taken to New York city by train this morning. This information was contained in a telegram received here today, and produced in district court when Manseau was called on for continuance.

Joseph Murphy, brought in on a capias for drunkenness, was given until Saturday to pay a fine of \$10.

Frank E. McCarty, drunkenness, was given a suspended sentence of three months in the house of correction.

PIMPY? WELL, DON'T BE

People Notice It—Drive Them Off With Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Cleanse the blood, bowels and liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel; there's no sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating. No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cured with a "dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

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Have Musterole handy when a cold starts. It has all of the advantages of grandmother's mustard plaster WITHOUT the blister. You just apply it with the fingers. First you feel a warm tingle as the healing ointment penetrates the pores, then comes a soothing, cooling sensation and quick relief.

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To Mothers! Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

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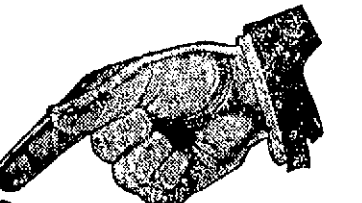
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MERRIMACK CO. REPORT

Shows Surplus of Nearly \$200,000—Treas. Theron Says Outlook Not Bright

There is little optimism at present in the outlook for Lowell textile products this year, from the viewpoint of Treasurer Ward Theron of the Merrimack Manufacturing company, at least. Mr. Theron has reported to Merrimack stockholders that "the outlook for the current year is not good."

The Merrimack, Ala. textile mills owned by the Merrimack Manufacturing company of Lowell, were very active during the past year, according to the report of Treasurer Ward Theron, who compares operations in the new southern plant with the production activities in the local Merrimack mill.

According to the annual report just made public, "the Merrimack plant in the south was very active during the year and the plant in Lowell reasonably so." A total of 45,185,666 yards of cloth were manufactured in both northern and southern mills and 61,983,457 yards were invoiced.

The financial report of the Merrimack company shows an "excellent" record in the opinion of investors in the textiles. The new income for the year ending Dec. 31, 1923, after all charges, reserves, taxes, contingencies and preferred dividends, amounted to \$194,257. This is equal to \$7.12 a share for the 27,500,000 common stock. This figure compares with \$6.10 earned for the common stock in 1922.

Mr. Theron reports that during the past year, in addition to usual expenditures for maintenance of plant, \$676,962 was expended for renewals, improvements and additions. Of this amount, \$267,181 was taken care of by annual amortization of depreciation, \$197,000 through sales of old apparatus and the balance, \$202,781, added to plant account.

The treasurer says, in his annual survey:—

"With the opening of the new season last October, the advancing cotton market appears to have undermined the confidence of buyers in stability of prices, and the new season's business has not materialized in satisfactory volume."

"Prices, for such business as there is, except in a few lines, are below the cost of replacement, and would show a minimum return on a 25-cent cotton market. Consequently, the outlook for the current year is not good."

TRIBUTE TO A. F. SMITH

Trains Halt at Hour of Funeral Services of President of New York Central

NEW YORK, March 12.—All trains of the New York Central lines halt for one minute today, and every employee of the system will pause, whatever he may be doing, for the same length of time, at 2 o'clock, the hour of the funeral services at St. Thomas church, for Alfred A. Smith, president of the railroad, who was killed when thrown from a horse in Central Park, Saturday.

Private services will be held this morning at the Chappaqua residence, following which the body will be brought to New York on a special train.

Radio station WJZ will broadcast the funeral service.

General offices of the New York Central and similar large offices of the road in other cities, close for the day at 1 o'clock, as a tribute to the memory of Mr. Smith.

CURRENT EVENTS DAY AT EDUCATIONAL CLUB

Current Events day was observed at the Educational club meeting in Kirtland hall yesterday afternoon with President Elizabeth D. Leggat in charge. The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. W. S. Jessop, secretary, and an application for membership was received.

Interesting readings on "Radio," "Accomplishments of Woman," and "Women's Equal Rights" were given by Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Hadley, and Mrs. Allen. At the request of the president, Mrs. Jessop read an article on Mrs. Calvin Coolidge.

Following the entertainment program which included songs of Scotland by Mrs. Leggat, the meeting was brought to a close.

All the United States navy yards are arsenals.

The Jewish population of the world is 15 1/2 millions.

WESTERN PIONEER TELLS INTERESTING EXPERIENCE

Frank Rikert, Who Left Illinois for California in Covered Wagon in 1864, Wouldn't Take \$100 for Bottle of Tanlac.

Frank Rikert, well-known resident of North Sacramento, Cal., who came to the State from Illinois in a covered wagon in 1864, along with other hardy pioneers, recently exhibited a bottle of Tanlac, which he had just purchased, to a friend at his home and remarked: "If I thought this was the best bottle of Tanlac I would ever be able to buy, I wouldn't take one hundred dollars for it," thus proving the high valuation he places on the famous treatment.

"I believe Tanlac really saved my life when I took it after the flu about a year ago," continued Mr. Rikert. "For the attack left me 20 pounds off in weight, and unable to turn over in my bed without assistance. I tell you, I thought my time had surely come."

"But, thanks to my wife's assistance, I kept on taking Tanlac till I was able to do all my work again. I had back all my lost weight, and I've been feeling years younger ever since. I'm always telling my friends about Tanlac and can't say too much for it."

"Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over 40 million bottles sold."

Take Tanlac—Vitality Pills—Adv.

NOTED REBEL GENERAL CAPTURED

MEXICO CITY, March 12.—General Gustavo Salas, considered the most capable tactician among the officers of Enriquez Estrada's rebel forces in Jalisco, has been captured and is being taken to Morelia, according to a war department statement. Salas is said to be seriously ill.

BOMB WRECKS BRITISH LEGATION

ATHENS, March 12. (By the Associated Press) A bomb was exploded early today at the entrance to the British legation, causing material damage, but injuring no one. Greek officials expressed belief that the incident was staged in an effort to discredit the government.

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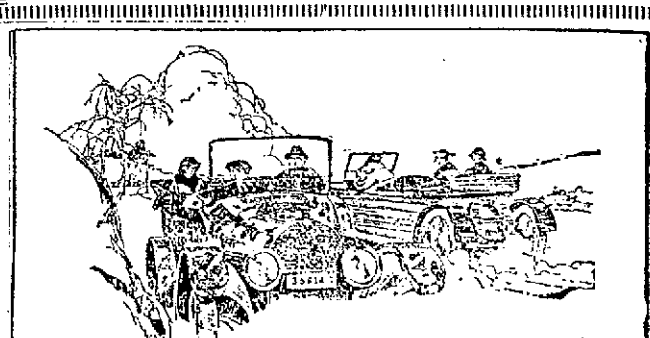
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Don't envy the good looks of Smith's car. It is a simple job to make your own look new again at very little cost and with very little effort.

All you have to do is to refinish it with Devoe Motor Car Finish... made in standard automobile colors.



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A considerable number of the most distinctive tailored modes of the season in pencil stripes and plain fabrics

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A group of chic tailored models for wear with your New Spring Suit. Gay colored ribbon effects. Dress models—Misses' Hats—Women's Hats—Matrons' Hats—Smart Cloches, off-the-face, pokes and turbans. Values to \$5.95.

\$3.19 Thursday Morning Only

DRESS FABRICS Street Floor

Ming Toy Crepes, half silk printed crepes, handsome colors, neat designs for blouses and dresses, 30 pieces in the lot; were \$1.19. Special at \$1.00 Yard

Honang Pongee, 33-inches wide, very stylish for ladies' and children's dresses, blouses and men's shirts, etc. 22 of the new spring colors, including white and natural; was 98c yard. Special69c Yard

New Spring Ginghams, 32-inches wide, in all the new combinations of checks, stripes and plaids, perfect goods, no remnants, any yardage you wish; was 33c yard. 4 yards \$1

Lingette, for fine underwear and slips, plain colors and self-stripes, all the new shades, including black and white; was 69c. Special.....49c Yard

GLOVES Street Floor

Ladies' Strap-Wrist Kid Gloves—Embroidered back, pique sewn; colors grey, brown, mode, black and white; value \$1.25. Pair.....\$2.95

Ladies' Two-Clasp Chambray Suede Gloves—Colors brown, grey and black; value 69c. Pair.....49c

KNIT UNDERWEAR

Street Floor

Ladies' Summer Weight Pants and Tights, loose and close knee, small sizes only; regular value 59c. Thursday A. M. Special, 15¢ Ea., 2 for 25¢

LINENS and DOMESTICS

Street Floor

Henstitched Table Cloths, fine quality mercerized cotton linen finish, variety of patterns; regular \$1.39 each. Thursday A. M. Special.....95c

42x36 Pillow Cases—Made from good quality cotton, strong and serviceable, all first quality; regular 39c. Thursday A. M. Special.....25c

18-inch Italian Linen Woven for outwork embroidery, heavy-weight; regular 49c yard. Thursday A. M. Special, 34c

ART GOODS

Street Floor

Stamped Three Piece Buffet Sets—Floral and butterfly patterns in white or oyster shades. Regular 45c set. Thursday A. M. Special.....22c

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Street Floor

Pure Silk Hose—Full fashioned hile garter tops, reinforced feet, square or with "pointed" heels, well known makes, such as Onyx and Venus, are included in this lot; values to \$2.48; black and colors; all first quality. Thursday A. M.\$1.75

987 Pairs Silk Hose—Full Fashioned with high spliced heels, hile garter top, reinforced soles in black only, also pure thread glove silk hose in plain and drop stitched effects, colors only. Every pair perfect. Values to \$2.00. Thursday A. M. Special.....\$1.35

TOILET GOODS

Street Floor

Perfume—Lily of the Valley, Trailing Arbutus, Heliotrope, Violet and Crab Apple; \$1.00 value. Oz.50c

Pipers Azura, Pompeian and le Trefle Vegetol; \$1.45 value.\$1.19

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FINANCIAL CRISIS IN FRANCE

France is face to face with a very serious financial crisis as a result of the sudden drop in the value of the franc from par value of 193 cents to about 25 cents, or .0555 of the American dollar.

The bad feature of the situation is that efforts to check the downward trend are not proving effective, so that radical measures must be adopted. Premier Poincaré has a plan of increasing taxation 20 per cent and putting restrictions upon borrowing, but whether he can have it adopted remains to be determined. Most people will ask how this dangerous situation came about. It is not difficult to explain. After the war, France, relying upon payment of a large indemnity by Germany, went ahead with the work of reconstruction, meeting the expenditures mainly by credit. Finally, finding that Germany refused to pay, she determined to occupy the Ruhr, expecting thereby to be able to collect enough to retrieve part of her losses.

In this she was disappointed. The occupation has been made an expensive undertaking. For a considerable time after entering the Ruhr, France was obliged to purchase English coal on cash payments while fighting passive resistance of the Germans. Thus France rolled up heavy debts on false hopes. She borrowed from her people until they had no more to give, and then she was obliged to use the printing press for the issue of government notes behind which there was no tangible collateral. As the value of the franc went down, the value of commodities in general went up. Then came a demand for higher wages which, of course, was necessary for the workers in order to live under the new conditions.

The country is now facing the worst consequences of a depreciated currency and the government is doing its utmost to stop the price raising craze. It has threatened heavy penalties for any unnecessary increase in the price of foodstuffs and other necessities of life. But the economic laws operating against the government cannot be checked except by the most extraordinary steps. Premier Poincaré, in addition to proposing an increase in taxes, favors abandonment of the work of reconstruction until the financial crisis shall have passed.

Some encouragement has been found in the report that the J. P. Morgan company of New York would advance a loan of \$50,000,000 to France. While this may be true, it is not yet confirmed from official sources.

In this emergency, France might well feel disposed to draw upon Germany as the cause of all her present trouble; but it seems that there is no immediate prospect of Germany's paying any considerable amount of the reparations indefinitely due to France. It had been proposed that Germany would raise a loan of \$50,000,000, half of which should go to France; but this was probably suggested as one of the steps to follow the report of the committee now investigating Germany's ability to pay.

Indeed it may be this proposition that has been confused with the report that the \$50,000,000 loan is to be advanced to France to meet the present emergency. It is hoped, however, that as a result of action to be taken by the French government tomorrow, the situation may improve. An early improvement, but a loan such as mentioned from the New York company would help France in her financial affairs—the worst she has experienced at any time since the opening of the World war.

FALL AND McLEAN

It would appear that as a result of his association with ex-Secretary Fall of the Interior, Mr. Edward B. McLean's reputation for veracity, if it ever was very high, must have suffered exceedingly in this oil scandal. The testimony seems to show that Mr. Fall deliberately made a false statement, that he had obtained a loan of \$100,000 from McLean with which to finance his ranch in New Mexico, whereas, in point of fact, he had obtained no such loan but had secured a loan of that amount from E. L. Dwyer, long before there was any talk of an oil scandal. Mr. Fall then met McLean at Palm Beach and the story subsequently came out that the loan obtained from McLean was in the form of checks which were returned un cashed. But McLean at the time did not have that amount of money to his credit in the banks named. It all appears to be a rather transparent effort to save Fall from being convicted of a deliberate falsehood; and in which McLean's testimony is also discredited. Moreover, a number of his employees have given testimony before the investigating committee which seems in many points to be highly improbable, if not entirely false. It may be assumed, as a result of Mr. McLean's part in this affair with Fall, that he will not be much of a power in the republican campaign and that his advice will no longer be sought by anybody in the White House, not even by Secretary E. Bacon Sloop.

DESERVE HERO MEDALS

There are three men in Biddeford, Me. who deserve medals from the Carnegie Hero Fund or some other institution of the kind. Their names are Charles Bradbury, T. P. Doyle and J. C. Laporte. They did not risk their lives in the usual way by jumping into icy water to save somebody from drowning nor did they get out in front of an approaching train to rescue somebody from being ground under the wheels. What they did was much simpler, but it came as a result of rare tact and quick decision. One of them saw a baby dangling on a window sill, 60 feet above their heads and instantly he pulled to a friend to come and hold an overcoat as a safety net to receive the baby in its fall. In

stantly the baby came down and landed in the center of the coat held for its reception. It bounded upward like a rubber ball and came down in the arms of one of the men without being injured in the slightest. Nothing but the quick judgment of one of those men saved that child from being dashed to pieces on the pavement. Such action deserves a medal as a reward for saving a life under the most peculiar circumstances.

NASHUA AROUSED

Opposition is now rampant against the pushing through of a plan for the annexation of the town of Hudson, N. H., to the city of Nashua. The move comes from unexpected quarters, but it appears to be powerfully organized and vitalized. Secrecy in the plans made to push the project along and "spring it on the voters suddenly." It is charged, it is responsible for the indignation feeling in Nashua, where most of the opposition exists.

The town has recently suffered three costly fires due to inadequate fire apparatus and untrained volunteers. The school question is also a vital issue, for today more than 50 pupils residing in Hudson, have to go to Nashua to attend the high school. The price of tuition has been recently raised, also another thing that rankles in the homes of Hudson taxpayers.

Naturally politics plays a more or less important part in the contest. Nashua is not a very strong republican city as democratic victories in local and state politics are not infrequent. It is alleged that the addition of Hudson, which is solidly republican, would give the republicans a solid majority in Nashua.

NAMES ARE WITHHELD

It now appears that the Judiciary committee of the national house has advised that no further effort be made at the present time to secure the names of the two members of congress charged with having accepted bribes for securing the release of prisoners from the federal penitentiary. The evidence was developed in testimony given before a grand jury in Chicago. Apparently, the Judiciary committee feels that Washington is furnishing all the scandals the people can stand at the present time. Already two republicans, members of the house, have denied that they are the guilty parties referred to, while democratic members of the committee may insist that Attorney General Daugherty will disclose the names.

If criminal procedure were brought against two republican members of congress in the present state of the public mind, the effect would undoubtedly be very damaging to the prospect of the republican party. Possibly that is the reason why the names are withheld.

HOME BEAUTIFUL EXPOSITION

It will be acknowledged that the Home Beautiful Exposition at the Memorial Auditorium last year was one of the most successful and novel enterprises attempted at any time by the local contractors and merchants. That it is to be repeated, in welcome news as it is a great eye-opener in the matter of home building, home furnishing and home beautification. This is a community event which will help business and thereby benefit the entire community. The dates fixed for the exposition are April 2, 3, 4 and 5. Those who attended the exposition of last year were convinced that there is no need of going to Boston to procure anything necessary in the line of home beautification. It is hoped that the Home Beautiful Exposition will also start off a successful season of home building in this city.

His Holiness Pope Pius XI, having installed a radio set at the Vatican, was able to listen in on many of the speeches and entertainments delivered in several of the European capitals. It is doubtful if he will be able to catch any of the broadcastings from the United States, but the time is not far distant when, through the medium of the wireless, two persons can talk to each other from two points on the earth's surface.

That two fire alarms sounded when a large number of firemen were before the city council pleading for an increase of wages, was a striking coincidence and one that came at the right time to check a statement just made at the hearing, to wit, that the firemen even when on duty feel that they are being called upon at any moment.

The members of the Lowell bar have gained a decided asset in the appointment of a United States commissioner here. Because of this, it is felt that hitherto made their way into the pockets of Boston lawyers are finding a resting place in the local bar as deposits credited to local members of the local profession.

Now that the Atkinson bill and the immigration bill are out of the way, it may be possible that the Lowell delegation will make a support of the bill to narrow the bed of the lower Connecticut river of the communities of Ath that during bad weather make it a certain nuisance.

Of course, Senators Harrison, Clarendon and Walsh are making things rather unpleasant for some present and former republican officials; but they are determined that the president's resolve not to let any public man escape, shall be respected.

We undoubtedly have had many incendiary fires and hence if any man is found guilty of arson he should receive the extreme penalty of the law.

The Senate is not likely to approve the objectionable features of the Johnson immigration bill.



Tom Sims Says

The constitution has been placed in a vault, but it is for safe keeping and not because it is dead.

The quickest way to reduce the population of any town is to let the bootleggers sell what they please.

The army may name his planes after cities. This is better than the present plan of naming them after radio stations.

Los Angeles street car conductor caught three men trying to rob his company. We nominate him for president of the United States.

Some people are run down by taxes and others are run down by taxis.

A well digger who was buried six hours in Eastport, L. I., will recover, perhaps due to his subway training.

Seattle man was arrested for robbing a filling station. He would like to hear him reading Teapot Dome news in his cell.

A cynic thinks the song of love is a swan song.

SEEN AND HEARD

Isn't it time Walter Camp picked his All-American Teapot team?

Bandits held up a New York restaurant, occupying before the cook could hit them with a biscuit.

Taxation without representation was said to be tyranny. Now what little taxpayer can tell us what taxation without reduction is?

A Thought

The wisest man is generally he who thinks himself the least so.—Bollan.

Made Fair Profit

"Now this picture," harked the auctioneer, "is valued by the artist, who stands beside me, at \$5000. And what an offer! Thirty cents! But he has no other bid and knocked the picture down at that figure. A bystander ventured to console with the artist, 'O, well,' said the latter, 'I painted it in two hours, the picture cost me about 40 cents and the canvas a dollar. I made a fair profit.'"

How to Get Down

They were discussing ways and means of getting down off an elephant. "Well, how do you get down?" asked Bob. "You climb down, of course," "No," said his friend Fred. "Well, you know his sides and slide down," suggested the other. "Wrong again," insisted Tom. "Then you take hold of his ear and hang on to the end," was the next suggestion. "No," "Well, you slide down his trunk," "No, you ask; you don't get down off an elephant. You get it off a duck."

Farmer Explained

Harris prided himself on a thorough knowledge of horses and their habits and so he was interested when, on a visit to the country, he saw a farmer having some trouble with his mount. It would start, amble for a short distance and then stop. Then the farmer would have great difficulty in getting it started again. Finally Harris approached the farmer and asked kindly: "You horse sick?" "No, as I know of the short road," "Is he balky?" "No, but he's afraid I'll say 'When' and he won't hear me that he stops every once in a while to listen."

Knew How It Was

A man and his wife were riding recently and ran onto a bridge before he saw that another automobile had started across first. It was a narrow bridge, and his plain duty was to back off. But his wife seized the gear lever so he couldn't reverse and proceeded to give the driver of the other car a tongue lashing for failing to try to cross at each time. Her indignation rose as she thought of his arrogance, and she said what she thought. "When I was a young girl," she said, "I was a driver and I was convinced of my criminality and general unfitness to drive among civilized people, he backed off the bridge and he and his wife's husband proceed. As the first driver passed the culprit, he said: 'Sorry, old man, and thank you.' The other replied: 'No, don't apologize. I've one at home myself.'"

Neighbors

When Elmer Warden bought the place across the road from mine, I didn't like his bearing, face and manner quite benign.

I said that one who had a smile for all he belonged to me. Unfathomably was full of gold. And practicing deceit.

I didn't give my sanction when I spoke of changing work. I thought, "Those over-cherful men are pretty apt to shirk."

But when typhoid had brought me low, I was a bed of pain. I saw this neighbor come and go. Each day through sun and rain.

He did my chores and checked my corn. And sat with me at night. And drove away my thoughts far from mine. With a name as bright.

That first impression often lead us wrong, we must agree. For Elmer Warden, I concede. Was a man to be proud to be.

—Harry J. Williams in Farm Life.

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THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Friends and admirers of Vic Browne for the past two seasons leading man of the Lutteringer Stock Co. at the Lowell Opera House, will be pleased to learn that he is now heading his own company of players. At the close of his engagement here Mr. Browne enjoyed a brief rest and then joined a stock company at Lancaster, Pa., an leading man. Shortly after his arrival it was decided to disband the company because of financial difficulties and a disagreement among the owners and to policy. Mr. Browne quickly stepped into the breach by forming the Victor Browne Players from the personnel of the disbanded company. According to Langdon Barbry, former manager of the Opera House here, the company has been doing well since the reorganization under the Browne standard.

Miss Hazel Corinne, who played feminine leads here opposite Mr. Browne, is doing exceptionally well in Winnipeg with the Permanent Players there. Miss Edna Earl Andrews, now with the Lutteringer unit in Manchester, N. H., formerly played leads there. Miss Andrews gave Miss Corinne letters of introduction to many of her friends and says Hazel has been doing splendidly for some time. Her arrival in the city was a coincidence, but two weeks after Miss Corinne started there, the opposition stock company closed.

When Miss Lillian Desmonde, leading lady of the Lutteringer unit here, gave her curtain speech at the farewell performance in the Auditorium here she put in a good word for the freedom. "They are worth six dollars a day," said Miss Desmonde, after telling how she watched them work at the Opera House blaze.

To her surprise and pleasure she was recently visited in Manchester by a delegation of local freedom who presented her with a magnificent shawl, made by the men in their spare time. A gift to show their appreciation, they said.

John Rowe, who was juvenile of the stock company here, has recovered sufficiently from his recent skin infection so that he is again able to play. He will commence rehearsals the latter part of the week for "The Crooked Square" which is to be offered by the stock unit a week hence.

Al Lutteringer has closed his Plaza stock unit in Bridgeport, Conn., and the company has disbanded. Mr. Lutteringer did thirteen weeks in the Post house in the Connecticut city. Mrs. Lutteringer (nee Ann Kingsley) plays the feminine leads. The couple are now in Manchester.

The gate of Tuesday made it hard going for the horses. The people seemed to realize it pretty well, however, for on every side it was noticeable that pedestrian, autoist and traffic cop alike gave way to the hard working colliers at every opportunity. Surely if we have our "dog days" a day like Tuesday could readily be dubbed a "horse day" without much fear of a successful challenge.

One thing illicable about the democrats and republicans representing Lowell in the legislature. No matter how high pitched, argumentative or personal their debate may be in the house, they can laugh it off and lunch together at noon. That is the best part of the real player of politics. Play the game hard while you're at it and rest with equal thoroughness. The Lowell solons can spend half a day fighting against each other on the floor of the house, because of their honest convictions, and then leave the stink of it behind when they walk out into the lobby. A movement for a better Lowell finds them all with their hands together but they kill the annexation bill just the same.

There is a refreshing note to the interview with John M. Abbot, capitalist and manufacturer, which appeared in last Friday's editions of The Sun. Mr. Abbot is a treasure of a new mill which will locate in the old Black-Hartford yards. New machinery has been ordered from the Saco-Lowell shops.

"We are glad to be able to give this order to Saco-Lowell," said Mr. Abbot. "We patronize home industry at every opportunity."

This new plant means more employment in the future for Lowell folk. It means present employment at the Saco-Lowell, as well. The optimism for the attitude of Mr. Abbot in locating at home and having his machinery made at home is heightened by the pride and pleasure that comes with the thought and knowledge that Lowell mechanics can supply his wants. The more residents who absorb the Abbot viewpoint the more chance for a greater Lowell.

AT ASSOCIATE HALL. There will be dancing tomorrow night in Associate hall and again on Saturday night. Miner-Boyle's orchestra will furnish the music, playing all the latest and popular numbers. Entertainment dancing will be held on two evenings of the week, Saturday and Thursday.

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RADIO BROADCASTS

WNAE, BOSTON

4.30 p. m.—Mrs. Paul C. Cook, soprano; Miss Helen Roche, pianist; and Miss Lillian Cooper, violinists.
6 p. m.—The Day in Finance.
8 p. m.—Children's half-hour stories and music. Mrs. William H. Stewart.
8.30-7.30 p. m.—WNAE dinner dance. Shepard Colonial orchestra.

8 p. m.—Harvard university band. Addison Simmons, 24, director.

WGY, SCHENECTADY

6 p. m.—Produce and stock market; news bulletins.
8.30 p. m.—Story.

WJZ, NEW YORK

4.15 p. m.—Herbert Florence, boy soprano.
4.30 p. m.—Ten concert by the Hotel Commodore orchestra.

5 p. m.—Practical Philosophy by Dr. Herman H. Horne of New York university.

7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story.
7.45 p. m.—Dance program by Cafe Boulevard orchestra.

8 p. m.—Dance program by Cafe Boulevard orchestra.
8.15 p. m.—Douglas Fairbanks and Mary Pickford will give addresses.

8.30 p. m.—Frank D. Gallatin of the department of parks of Manhattan.
8.45 p. m.—E. T. Leland, baritone.

9 p. m.—George Laval Chatterton, 1 Speak of Africa and Golden Days.
9.15 p. m.—Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Dittler in violin and piano recital.

9.45 p. m.—Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Readings with music, with Miss Ruth Thomas.
10.30 p. m.—Dance program by Trocadero orchestra.

WOR, NEWARK

6.15 p. m.—Ernie Kriekett's orchestra.
8 p. m.—Ernie Kriekett's orchestra.

8.15 p. m.—In and Out of Wrestling, by George Rothner.
8.30 p. m.—Five-minute talk on Railroad Etiquette by Arthur Murray.

8.45 p. m.—Solos by Joseph Moskowit.
9.30 p. m.—Recital by Dorothy Burke, soprano.

9.55 p. m.—Fifth talk on The Law and Income Tax by John Armstrong.
10.20 p. m.—Commander J. H. Klein, Jr. in command of Naval Air station at Lakehurst, N. J., on The Shenandoah, Lighter-Than-Air Craft.

10.45 p. m.—Solos by Joseph Moskowit.
11 p. m.—New York entertainers.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH

8.15 p. m.—Dinner concert by the Pittsburgh Athletic Association orchestra.
8.30 p. m.—Feature.

8.45 p. m.—Market reports.
9 p. m.—Address by Mrs. S. V. Barton of the Woman's club of Grafton, Penn.

9.15 p. m.—Riding the Waves Aboard a Steamship, Charles Latus.
9.30 p. m.—Concert by Virginia Coggins, soprano; Mrs. Edward Todd Ruiz, contralto; N. E. La Maron, tenor; Joseph A. Rogers, baritone; Mrs. Alexander Holmeyer Longmore, reader; D. M. Phillips, accompanist.

9.45 p. m.—Time signals, weather.
10.30 p. m.—Health and beauty talk.

10.40 p. m.—Phono recital by Eleanor Gilman.
11 p. m.—Current topics.

4 p. m.—Song recital.
8.15 p. m.—Song recital.

8.45 p. m.—International code.
9 p. m.—Stories for children.

KPM, CHICAGO

7.30 p. m.—News, financial and bond markets. Spanish lessons by Prof. A. Bregli. Children's bedtime story.

8 p. m.—Dinner concert at Congress hotel.
10 p. m.—Musical program.

10.30 p. m.—Good roads report. Health talk.
11 p. m.—Midnight review.

WJAZ, CHICAGO

11 p. m.—Orchestra and assisting artists.
1 p. m.—Weekly townsend program for Donald B. Macmillan, Arctic explorer, messages from all his relatives and friends are first read and then a resume of the week's news, interspersed with musical selections.

WMAQ, CHICAGO

8 p. m.—Stories for the children; weekly lecture from Northwestern university.
9.10 p. m.—Herald orchestra.

10 p. m.—Talks from Chicago, character program by Thomas MacBride.
11 p. m.—

WLW, CINCINNATI

9 p. m.—Band concert by the 10th Infantry band.

WOC, DAVENPORT

7.30 p. m.—Spindman's visit, sport news and weather.
8 p. m.—Music Selection and Treatment of Small Grain for Seed.

9 p. m.—Musical program. Edwin Swindell, organist; Robert MacGregor, baritone.

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BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

TO A REVOLUTIONIST

You hate all "trivial conventions,"
You want to be a Soul That's Free?
I don't object to your intentions,
Your freedom's quite all right with me.
For Revolution you may holler,
And shriek against all kinds of laws,
But sporting such a dirty collar
Does not, that I see, aid your cause.

Whatever be your pet obsession,
Free love, free food, free life, free beers;
You'd make a pleasant impression
If you would wash behind your ears.
Cast off each cosmetic fetter;
Don't be to Capital a slave!
But—that stuff would get over better
If now and then you had a shave.

For cleanliness remains a virtue
Which your opinions cannot jar;
And soap and water will not hurt you
No matter how advanced you are.
And free or slave, this little ditty
Would plant this thought within your brain.
A dirty collar isn't pretty
And finger-nails are better clean!
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LENT IN THE HOLY LAND



House of Mary, Martha and Lazareth, in Bethany, where Christ was a visitor and whence he went to raise Lazareth from the tomb, has fallen into ruins with the passage of the centuries. It has been definitely marked, however, as one of the Christian shrines.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Final performances will be given this evening at the Merrimack Square theatre of "Pied Piper Malone," the Paramount comedy-drama, starring popular Louis Wilson and George Fennell, who appeared in person in Lowell about a year ago at this theatre. It's easily the best picture of its kind that Merrimack has turned out in many months. There is a big surrounding program.

Another big bill has been booked for Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the popular Bridge Street amusement house. The leading attraction will be "Broadway Gold," with Elaine Hammerstein, one of the screen's most lovable female stars, in the role of a young show girl, and with Elliot Dexter and Kathryn Williams in other important roles.

The story deals with the typical Broadway crowd of hard-working phone girls and of the types known as gold diggers. Miss Hammerstein never has looked lovelier than she does in the bright and particular star of "Broadway Gold."

While Miss Hammerstein heads the cast, the picture can be creditably called an all star production. Elliot Dexter appears in the chief male role while the old favorite Kathryn Wil-

kins appears in the greatest part of her career as Jean Valjean, a beautiful but worldly wise denizen of Manhattan's roving "forties."

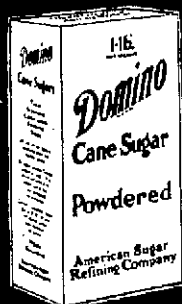
The picture was produced with a lavish hand and certainly cost a pretty amount, but the results are evident. Rich scenes depicting many of the palatial dance and eating places are eye-riveting in their detail and beauty. Swags proudly sail about under the gilded domes in ivory lined pools as the gay and garish throng sip forbidden waters or sway to the strains of the latest jazz on the dance floor. Certainly Mr. Dillon and his company have caught the note of glamour and fantastic atmosphere which is associated with Broadway in the popular mind.

In order to keep the movie spectator from being bored there are two thrilling auto wrecks, a murder mystery and hosts of dically funny stage beauties, who divert themselves for the edification of the Broadway habitués.

Fred Thompson in "North of Nevada," a story of the great outdoors, is the second feature for the week-end. A comedy, "Up in the Air," the latest International News and another episode of the Boston Post prize picture series, "The Story of Grace A. Miller," round out an excellent bill.

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ITALO THEATRE

Box Ingram's claims to film immortality is justified again in his remarkable production, "Trifling Women," which comes to the Rialto theatre tomorrow. It is one of the greatest achievements of the skillful director, whose name has become synonymous with the best in filmdom, and a guarantee of exceptional screen merit.

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You will like "Trifling Women" because it is different and the players in the cast are noted for their wonderful acting ability.

"Dropped From the Clouds," a thrilling western subject with Ellen Sedgwick, a Ruddy Messenger comedy and a Fox conclude the program.

Final showings of "The Shepard King" will be given tonight together with four big acts of professional troupes—and all at the same little prices!

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Harry Webb and his entertainers, at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, rate up as positively the best orchestral organization heard in several years at this theatre. Assisted by Joseph Perry, who sings in several of the numbers, there is advanced a program which holds elements possessed by no other orchestra ever heard here. The dramatization of popular songs is one of the big features. It is an act which does many things, and its playing of jazz is flawless. The surrounding bill holds such well known players as "Black-face" Eddie Nelson, singer and comedian; Jack Kennedy and Helene Wards, in a society skit; Bert Shadow and Lillian McNeill, in bits from musical comedy; Aubrey and Gardner, singers and instrumentalists and Phillips and Seftie, in a novelty slack wire act. The picture feature is "The Love Bandit."

A quintal of fish is 100 pounds.

NEW SUCCESSES FOR MEXICAN FEDERALS

VERA CRUZ, March 12.—(By the Associated Press) Federal forces have occupied the port of Gutierrez Zamora, 10 miles south of Tuxpan. At Paso Del Macho, 140 rebels surrendered and other important bands are negotiating with the federal military authorities. General Guadalupe Sanchez, former rebel commander on the Vera Cruz front, left San Francisco station at the head of 600 men a few days ago, and his present whereabouts is unknown. The foreign residents have appealed to their consuls for protection against a threatened attachment of property because of their refusal to pay the government taxes already handed over to the rebels.

ORDERS INVESTIGATION OF "WET" WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, March 12.—An effort to settle the much argued question of the effectiveness of prohibition enforcement in Washington has been ordered by President Coolidge as a result of the charge by Rear Admiral Charles P. Plunkett, commander of the Brooklyn navy yard, that the capital is "the wettest city in the United States."

THE STRAND

Marion Davies says she knows how to sympathize with the prisoners in Florida who have been the victims of brutal whippings which resulted in the death of one boy and stirred up the wrath of the nation. The fair motion picture star knows what it is to feel the deadly lash, for during the making of "Little Old New York," which is filling a six days' engagement at the Strand, she was called upon to take a beating administered by Louis Wolheim of "Harry Apple." She was tied to a whipping post and struck several times with a lash. And she wouldn't allow any one to double for her. The penalty was several red, blistering marks across her back. Don't miss the opportunity of seeing this truly wonderful picture story. Miss Davies is more charming than ever, and her support is made up of some-

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THIS is the time of year when you need vitality—rich, red blood—bodily strength, firm flesh, good digestion and abundant energy. If you haven't got them—if you are weak, thin, pale and run down, you can't begin to take Gude's Pepto-Mangan too quickly. It contains the iron your blood needs. In just the form most easily assimilated. It contains the pure, strengthening tonic elements which build up your vital powers. Get Gude's from your druggist—either liquid or tablets.

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Nurse Stacey's Suggestions to Middle Aged Women



MRS. H. STACEY
COLLINSVILLE, ILLINOIS



A MOST trying period of a woman's life is that of middle age, fraught with danger to some extent, and invariably with most annoying symptoms, such as hot-flashes, smothering spells, nervous troubles, irregularities and fainting spells.

When a woman like Nurse Stacey after many years of caring for the sick writes a letter of praise for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound like the following, it should influence other women who are passing through the Change of Life to try it.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a root and herb medicine especially adapted to act upon the feminine system. It helps nature to build up the weakened, nervous system, and enables women to pass this trying period with the least possible annoying symptoms.

Nurse Stacey's Letter Follows:

COLLINSVILLE, ILL.—"I could almost write a book in praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. In the first place my husband induced me to try it and I have continued taking it off and on for years. I have become a well woman from its use and am now taking it through the Change of Life just to be on the safe side. I first took it for backache and a weak condition of the whole system and I think it saved my life and my baby. She is now a mother and takes it herself and I think I can count as high as a hundred women I have recommended the Vegetable Compound to, as I am a practical nurse. Use my letter in any way you see fit for I will stand by what I write."—Mrs. H. Stacey, Collinsville, Illinois.

Another Woman's Similar Experience

"During the Change of Life I was always tired and weak, could hardly do my work and did not care to go anywhere or talk to people. After I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I noticed a change and before I had taken four bottles of it I felt like a new person. I can and always will recommend it in cases like mine."—Mrs. Jos. Wansit, 1315 S. 14th St., Menomonie, Wisconsin.

Take Mrs. Stacey's advice and try

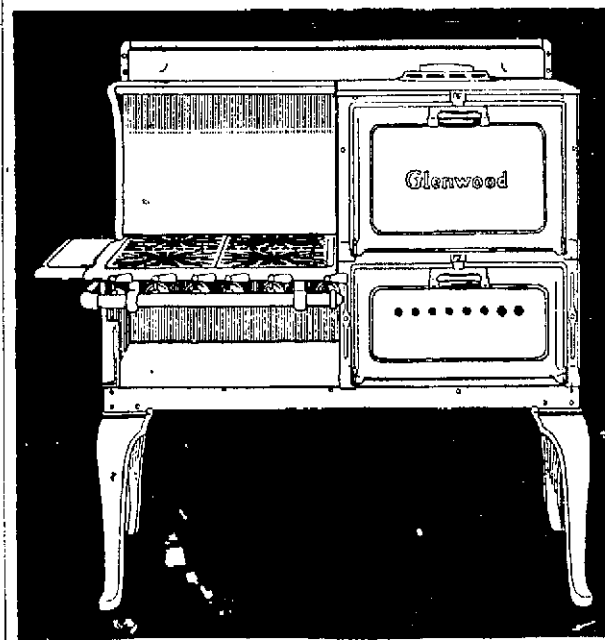
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During March we are allowed a discount of 10% on all gas ranges purchased. This is a bona fide sale and a large number have already taken advantage of it.

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Judging from the large number of ranges sold during the first week of our annual 10% discount sale it looks as though we are going to have a record event this year.

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Housewives have learned that an old worn-out range is not only bad to look at but it is a source of constant worry and expense. A range that has seen better days consumes more gas with less results than a modern gas range.

Buy That New Range Now

Now is the time for the thrifty housewife to make her kitchen a place of real joy and comfort.

Lowell Wins Polo Series—Babe Ruth Makes First Home Run of 1924 Season

BOB HART STARS IN LOWELL VICTORY OVER NEW BEDFORD

Friends Turn Out in Large Numbers to Honor Lowell Manager—Leads Team to Series Victory by Score of 8 to 4—Lowell Accepts Jean's Challenge



"BOB" HART



"FLICK" CONROY

Notwithstanding the furious north-eastern gale that held this city in its grip last night, a good sized crowd braved the elements to go to the "Bob Hart night" and to witness what proved to be the final game in the Lowell-New Bedford polo series. Lowell won by the score of 8 to 4, thereby terminating the competition four games to two.

The turnout was a splendid demonstration of the popularity of the Lowell team's manager. Representatives from the Y.M.C.A., Broadway club, Local Order of Moose, the Eagles, the Mathews, the Lowell Typographical union and several other organizations were on hand and but for their attendance, it is doubtful if very many would have come out for the affair. It required considerable courage to face such a night, but a "goodly crowd was there."

In appreciation Hart played a whole of a game, scoring enough goals himself to defeat New Bedford. He hammered five into the net, several of his drives being from difficult angles. He also did considerable floor work, clever passing and effective blocking. His big part in the game found abundant appreciation from the fans and a great cheer accompanied every one of his bullseyes.

There was one disappointment in the big game, one that imposed additional burdens upon the other members of the Lowell team, and for a time looked like disaster for the Harried ones. Kid Williams, first rusher of the team, failed to show up. A telephone inquiry to his home in Salem brought the information that he had left at 6 o'clock for Lowell. After delaying the start for half an hour, Manager Hart sent out and secured "Flick" Conroy, local boy, to fill in. He put on Ferdie Harkins' equipment, which was at the rink. The shows gave him trouble at the outset, but after the first period he struck his stride and he turned in a very creditable exhibition, getting two fine goals.

In addition, Conroy also played an important part in keeping Brown out of many plays. Manager Hart ordered him to trail Brown. "Get him out of our way and we'll get the goals," was Hart's final word. Conroy followed instructions to the letter and as a result the Lowell sharpshooters enjoyed greater latitude. Brown repeated Conroy's activities and at one point of the game the pair clashed. Referee Tyler and the others intervened before trouble resulted, but after that Brown showed more respect for the local boy.

It was announced that Williams would appear in the lineup as soon as he reached the rink. Nothing further was heard from him until within two minutes of the end of the game, when a call came saying he was stranded in Lawrence.

But the game went along smoothly and proved a hard fought battle all the way. Lowell men determined to win up the series, played their heads off to accomplish the task. New Bedford, anxious to win and force the competition into a seventh game, never worked harder. For two periods it was a pin and tuck, but in the final period Lowell cut loose the reins and eased under the wire with the win.

With Hart starring for Lowell, Duggan took the honors for the Whalers. He was keenly disappointed over Williams' failure to appear. He said: "I knew he would get out. I had the lead on him and was determined to increase it. And I feel I am entitled to the prize because of his non-appearance. I got here from New Bedford and some of the other players came over the road from Providence. If we could make it, I can see no reason why

ABE FRIEDMAN BEATS GARDNER

Boston Bantam in Rare Form Wins Over Newport, R. I. Man in Fast Bout

Gardner Made Desperate Rally in Closing Rounds—Friedman Here Thursday

BOSTON, March 12.—Abe Friedman, Boston bantam, boxing in the rarest form he has displayed for months, last night earned the decision over confederate, Gardner of Newport, R. I., in a sensational 10-round battle at the Grand Opera House. The bout was held under the auspices of the Armory A. A.

Friedman won handily, having a lead in eight of the 10 rounds and Gardner's desperate rally in the two closing rounds could not be expected to offset.

Gardner, as a matter of fact, appeared to be muscle bound and stiff in the first five rounds and Friedman, boxing a careful and finely judged battle, worked in and out with rapidity and confidence, ducking, dodging, hooks and swings for the head and darting in with sharp, well-timed counters.

Word from Johnny Sheppard, who is down to meet Friedman in the main event of the Moody club show on Thursday night, says the little Westbury thunder-bolt is in top form and confident of putting the bay on the ropes. Friedman is for the third time, Sheppard already claims, a two-halftime decision over Friedman and he is determined to make it three.

A large delegation is coming up from Woburn to root for Sheppard. He is very popular down that way. He also has a large number of friends and admirers here, many of whom are planning to be on hand to cheer him on to victory. Lowell rooters will be led by "Chickie" David, brother of Sheppard. In the preliminary bouts, Friedman, light heavyweight, who put up a whole of a battle here a few weeks ago, will have it again. Hard hitting, he will be a hard nut to crack. There will also be two preliminaries.

Billy Murphy, who is down to meet Al Shubert in the main event of the Moody club show on Thursday night, is training diligently for the battle. He met Shubert once before, losing out in a decision in Lawrence. It is confident of his success. A large delegation of Lowell fans will go down to the beach city to cheer for the popular Billy.

It is possible that Eugene Cright, the game William, who was unable to appear, He claimed the honor of winning the individual contest. Up to last night's game he had the lead, 68 to 62.

After the game, Manager Hart accepted Fred Jean's challenge for a series, the first game to be played here on Friday night.

With Williams' failure to appear last night, in order to prevent a repetition of such occurrence, Manager Hart has signed up Duggan to play first rush for Lowell in the series with Jean's Providence team. He also secured Frank Hardy to play center, and the Lowell team will in Duggan first rush, Hart second rush, Hardy center, Morrison half back and Jett goal.

The Providence team will line up as follows: Al Davis first rush, Steve Pierce second rush, Fred Jean center, Archie Mulhearn half back, Jimmy Jurell goal.

Willie Peltier, who donated a cup to the winner of the Lowell-New Bedford series, will attend Friday night's game to present the trophy to the Lowell team.

TRACK STARS TAKE REST

Two Weeks' Layoff Ordered By Coach Haggerty Before Relay Carnival Practice

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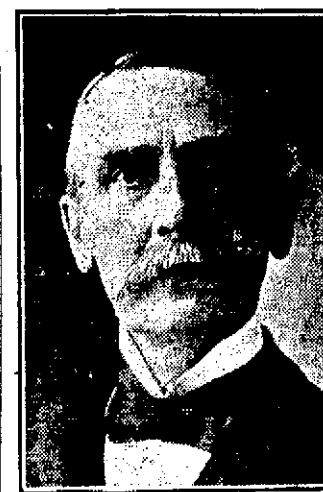
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Two Lowell Golf Clubs Elect Officers

GEN. ADELBERT AMES
President Longmeadow ClubWILLIAM H. WILSON
President Mt. Pleasant Club

Two of Lowell's three flourishing golf clubs, Mt. Pleasant and Longmeadow, held their annual business meetings last night and brought home the fact that the 1924 season is not more than three jumps beyond the present snow drifts.

The Mt. Pleasant meeting and dinner was held at the clubhouse at the end of Staples street, while the Longmeadow members gathered in the hospitable rooms of the Washington club downtown.

The election of officers, the submission of annual reports and discussions of the approaching season, featured both meetings. Mt. Pleasant voted to authorize the purchase of land adjacent to the present layout for further improvements to the course and voted unanimously to raise the annual dues from \$25 to \$30 and increase the membership limit from 150 to 200, both being healthy signs of progress and interest.

More than 100 members attended the Mt. Pleasant meeting, which was held on the right foot by the serving of an excellent turkey dinner, paid for by a group of golfers known as the Alaudales, who last summer lost a season-long tournament to the Flamingoes. President William H. Wilson presided and introduced the several speakers. Reports were given by Secretary Benton J. Flaherty, director, John M. O'Donoghue and Fred Neely.

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The Longmeadow meeting got under way at the Washington club at 5 p. m., with Vice President Charles L. Warren presiding. The report of Dr. Francis H. Mahony, chairman of the greens committee, showed several important improvements scheduled for this year and also showed that the revenue of 1923 was the greatest in the history of the club.

Officers were re-elected as follows: President, Gen. Adelbert Ames; vice president, Charles L. Warren; treasurer, George Q. R. Hailwhite; secretary, Benton J. Flaherty; executive committee, Charles R. A. Graham, Arthur Dow and J. L. Eigelroth.

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BOWLING			
RAY STATE LEAGUE			
VELOURS			
McNamara	84	86	241
London	75	78	233
Keophane	110	96	233
Taylor	95	96	233
Shanks	84	83	233
Totals	444	431	1305
FANCIES			
Ripley	98	95	270
Carr	90	92	265
Waterhouse	76	87	273
Griffin	89	84	273
Atkinson	84	91	273
Totals	437	447	1590
POLDS			
Harrigan	77	82	253
Crowe	82	86	264
Walsh	100	87	273
Casey	98	87	273
Totals	357	342	1079
BOLIVIAS			
Laffey	95	99	207
Higgins	83	87	207
Maxwell	86	87	207
Leach	81	83	207
Totals	331	356	1002
WATERHEAD MILL LEAGUE			
TEAM SIX			
Houston	119	82	315
Box	70	80	228
Gibbons	78	75	228
J. Boyle	88	84	263
McDonough	85	87	263
Totals	440	428	1293
TEAM FIVE			
Fuller	101	81	270
Stauffer	87	80	263
Garnett	86	82	263
Duggan	83	84	263
McKillop	104	99	282
Totals	460	446	1834
TEAM FOUR			
McQuade	82	84	263
Barber	88	87	263
Thompson	80	84	263
Seahill	80	82	263
Ellis	103	86	284
Totals	437	438	1802
TEAM THREE			
Burns	82	111	266
Shannon	80	103	274
Pearson	82	85	263
Hawkin	76	80	263
Spencer	88	93	283
Totals	424	472	1862
LAWRENCE CARMEN WIN			
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Earley	85	82	242
Dyke	85	114	256
Hennessey	85	80	263
Dawson	82	80	263
Gibbs	92	116	263
Totals	449	455	1827
LOWELL CARMEN WIN			
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Cuniff	82	98	274
Crab	90	81	273
Rogers	102	98	293
Prindev	84	90	274
Bordeaux	100	96	296
Totals	458	463	1890
GABRIEL CLUB LEAGUE			
NO. 3			
Flemings	101	82	264
Harvey	74	88	238
Daly	82	85	243
Lynch	101	90	263
Sheffield	88	92	255
Totals	446	437	1823
NO. 1			
Canby	75	72	223
Duchess	88	72	233
McCarthy	77	71	233
Ryan	73	77	230
Barrett	82	98	273
Totals	395	420	1232
NO. 4			
Shannon	81	85	274
Tighe	85	90	249
Conners	80	82	263
Pard	76	73	263
O'Dea	108	83	263
Totals	430	427	1812
NO. 2			
Brown	81	91	271
Kennedy	80	99	279
Kennedy	88	83	263
Totals	449	473	1813
FRED McLEOD WINS			
GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP			
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 12.—			
Fred McLeod of Washington, former national golf champion, won the 1924 St. Petersburg golf championship here yesterday, finishing the 72 holes in 292, five under the score of Bill McIlhenny of St. Louis.			
Geoff Walker of Rockwood, N. J., was third with 293; Walter Bacon, Rock Creek Country club, fourth with 305; and L. Meyer of Metomet, R. I., fifth with 306.			
Leo Diegel of Washington, and Arthur Havers, British open champion, were well up with 307 each.			
Joe Kirkwood, former Australian champion, and Johnny Farrell, Cuban champion, were next with 308.			
Jimmy Ockenden, French champion, had 316.			

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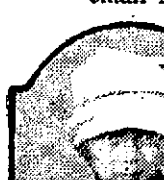
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Thousands of California Children Miss School to "Follow the Crops"



CALIFORNIA CHILD WORKERS WHO FOLLOW THE CROPS KNOW NO HOMES OTHER THAN THE AUTOMOBILES IN WHICH THEY LIVE. TOP PICTURE SHOWS A FAMILY TRAVELING GYPSY STYLE. BELOW AT LEFT IS A TYPICAL CALIFORNIA CHILD CROP WORKER. MANY CHILDREN LIKE THIS ONE ARE UNEDUCATED BECAUSE THEY NEVER HAVE TIME TO ATTEND SCHOOL. AT RIGHT IS SHOWN A GROUP OF WORKERS.

By A. H. FREDERICK
N.E.A. Service Writer
SACRAMENTO, Calif., March 11.—California's sunshine has betrayed an army of children into crop bondage. The year round these they workers traverse the state, crossing and crisscrossing their own paths. Unattached to any city or town, they know no permanent homes save the autos and auto camps in which they live. There are some 20,000 of them. And the majority receive little or no education because the crops demand too much of their time to permit attendance at school. The ages of these children who go into the fields is from a few weeks to 18 years. Babies can be found swaddled in bundles on the ground, while their

parents rather the crops. Children of 5 and 6 later beside their parents. These youngsters who have forgotten how to play speak a language of their own. "Where are you from?" asked one 12-year-old girl of a new arrival. "From cotton," answers the other. "I've been in asparagus," states the first. This is their country and their life—cotton, asparagus, cherries and so on through the state's 24 crops. They have forgotten how to play because playtime vitally is consumed in the fields. They stoop and rather unall their backs aches and their whole being cries for rest. With the day's work finished, they are only too glad to throw themselves down to sleep on beds consisting usu-

ally of quilts or blankets of uninviting appearance. Within the state runs this hectic, aimless whirlpool of second hand cars, auto trucks, farm wagons, anything which will carry a man and his family. The father drives, the mother sits beside him, the luggage is piled into the car or strapped to running boards. The children perch wherever they can and hold. The whirlpool extends through 38 of California's 58 counties. The crops mature at different times. The conveniences follow. Outside the state two great feeding streams supply whatever workers are down through Washington, apples and Oregon hops they come from homes left far behind in the plains

states and even the Great Lakes region. Up through Southern California comes a second stream, the cotton workers. Many families in this current have worked in cotton from the old south through state after state until they have reached the cotton fields of Southern California. Here they strike the whirlpool and are absorbed among the 50,000. All nations except the Chinese and Japanese are represented in this child labor problem. There are Italians, Americans, Mexicans, negroes, Russians, and all the heterogeneity that makes up California. But nationality is rapidly lost in the new race into which they are being budded—the race of children who don't fit in. Many of them seem to sense that they are "different," and feel great anxiety to "conform." "The migratory child of today represents the situation because he has known better times and different conditions," says Miss Georgiana Garden, of the state department of education, who has made extensive inquiry into the situation. "But the problem is more difficult when we consider the future. The child born in the crops, knowing nothing else, will not care. He will adjust himself to conditions and become a habitual drifter, a spendthrift and a man or woman of no ties to make him or her a better citizen." In one camp a girl who had passed through the first six grades had established a school. It was free, and attended by every child in the camp voluntarily. The teacher was 19 years old. Instances are not infrequent where a child has asked the teacher of a school to lay out a course of study "because I'm going to citrus, where there ain't no school," or some other crop. In 1921 the state department of education introduced into the legislature a migratory school law. An appropriation of \$10,000 was made to establish temporary schools, where the little nomads gathered. Also penalties were provided for parents who did not enroll their children in the new districts to which they moved. But later it was found more practicable to place emergency teachers in the regular district schools, and to absorb the influx there. "We have made great progress in overcoming illiteracy among child laborers in rural districts through these provisions," says Will C. Wood, state superintendent of education. Venus is almost exactly the same size as the earth.

COMPLETING PLANS FOR BIG CELEBRATION

At a special meeting in Y.M.C.I. hall Monday night of the committee in charge of the St. Patrick's night celebration in the Auditorium under the auspices of the United Irish societies, the following reception committee was appointed: Hon. John J. Donovan, honorary chairman; John J. Flannery, chairman; Thomas J. Fitzgerald, James J. O'Sullivan, John J. Sheldy, John J. Mahoney, John W. Sharkey, Richard J. Lyons, John B. Higgins, James Mullen, Joseph A. Preston, Patrick E. Finnell, James J. McMahon, Francis R. Murphy, John J. Tully, Patrick Cassidy, John J. Moran, Thomas McLaughlin, Daniel Healey, Dennis Healey, Mrs. Catherine Leonard, Mrs. Catherine Coleman, Thos. J. Sevin, Michael Mitchell, John J. Curran, James J. Droney, John O'Sullivan, Mrs. Denis J. Dowire, Mrs. Margaret Mahony, John J. Murphy, Charles A. Gallagher, Frank A. Graves, George F. Brennan, Philip Keen, Dr. E. W. V. Slattery, Miss Mary Hill, James J. Quinn, Patrick J. Reynolds, Eugene J. Fitzgerald, James J. Gallagher, Humphrey O'Sullivan, Andrew P. Roach, Thomas J. Corbett, Owen E. Brennan.

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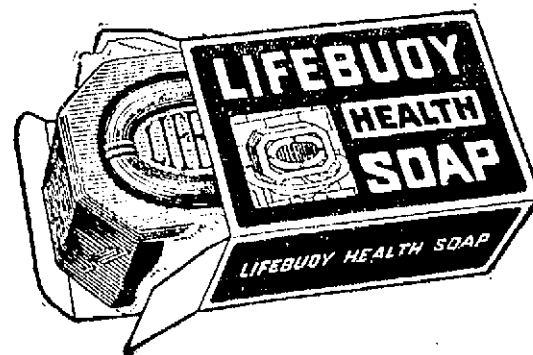
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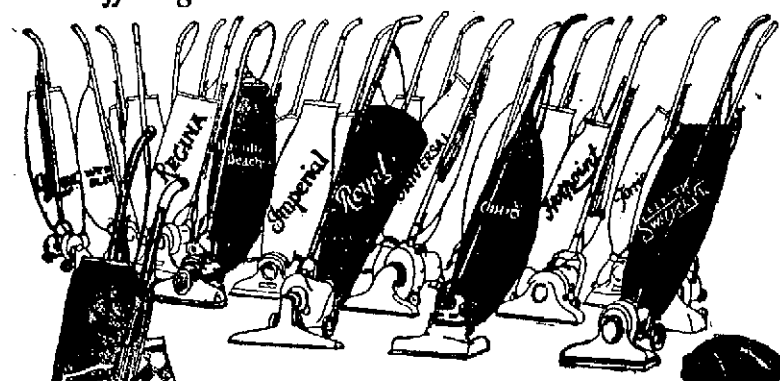
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HIT HARD BY STORM

THE BUDGET AND AUDIT COMMISSION

John J. Gilder, instructor of the University extension class in auto repairing said the usual Wednesday high

The topic tonight will be "Hatory Ignition Systems and Remants."

COLLEGE TENNIS GAMES
WILKIAMSTOWN, March 12. Yale and Dartmouth will meet at Wilkes college in tennis this year as only one of the following schedule which will be here today.

May 3, Union, 7. West Point, 2.
West Point, 10. West Point at Middle-
town, 16. Yale at New Haven, 1.
Dartmouth, 23. Harvard, 10.

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LOWER JOINT FREIGHT RATES

WASHINGTON, March 12. —The Interstate Commerce commission announced today that it had lifted the suspension on section 28 of the merchant marine act which makes lower joint freight rates for commodities moving in American ships.

DAUGHERTY INQUIRY WARNING BY MELLON
OPENS THIS AFTERNOON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The investigation of Attorney General Daugherty will be opened at 4 o'clock this afternoon under a decision reached

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Revision of the revenue bill passed by the house must be made to prevent a treasury deficit, Secretary Mellon today told the senate finance committee. The house bill would mean a loss in revenue of about \$150,000,000. Mr. Mc-

The secretary said that the revenue influence of oil interest in the Mexican revolution, planned for inquiry at the opening session, probably would give way to some other undisclosed subject.

Another subpoena issued was for Will H. Hayes, manager of the Unger-Weller Co., Columbus, Ohio, to appear immediately and bring certain documents. A firm of that name is a stock brokerage house which formerly had

Washington branch office.

Three Deaths in Train Wreck
Continued

killed instantly. Of the many others

the increases ordered by the house in the excise and miscellaneous taxes.

"KNICKER" PARTY
AT THE CASINO

The condition of Gertrude Hayes, of South Boston, Mass., is not considered serious. She received painful, but not serious cuts. Lydia Laporte, of Southbridge, Mass., badly cut about

Ellen Masterson, a nurse, received a scalp wound six inches long and other injuries but will recover. Her hospital work despite her injuries saved

many lives, it is said.

Baby Dies of Injuries

ST. ALBAN'S, Vt., March 12.—A third name was added to the death list when a

Paul Lamoche, an infant, died today in the hospital at St. Albans, from fracture of skull. His parents, who are from Upton, Mass., brought the child here without realizing the seriousness of its condition and its name was not included in the bill.

In Michigan the only crime punishable by death is treason.

No report has yet been made to the committee on cities and towns of the Archin annexation project, providing for a commission to investigate

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CHARITY RELIEF DISTRIBUTION

Public Hearing Last Night by
City Council Committee
on Ordinances

New Ordinance Reported by
Public Charities Committee
Finds Instant Favor

The city council committee, on ordinances, held a public hearing last night at city hall on the proposed ordinance to change the method of distributing charity relief by the city to the adoption of a store order system instead of the present method of delivery by the city department of standardized orders.

The committee was overwhelmingly in favor of the new ordinance, which has been reported favorably by the committee of public charities, and among those present were representatives of a number of local charitable organizations which have become interested in the proposition.

It was charged by James C. Reilly, principal speaker on behalf of the proposition, that the present system of distribution is antiquated and 20 years behind the times and declared that even though it is proven that the new system will cost the city a little more, it will have humane attributes that will more than compensate any additional charges against the charity appropriation.

The proposed ordinance would have monthly supplies of foodstuffs made subject to bid through the office of the purchasing agent. Persons eligible to receive aid would be given properly approved order slips which would be honored by the storekeeper or storekeepers who had been awarded contracts on the monthly basis. Persons holding these slips would get their provisions directly from such stores and there would be no delivery by city owned wagon or automobile at the homes.

Charity Superintendent Joseph H. Gormley was the only speaker in opposition to the ordinance, and his only statement against the ordinance was that it would cost the city more to operate than the present system. He agreed with the proposition that under the new system worthy poor who now shrink from applying for aid would probably apply for it, feeling that the stigma of delivery had been eliminated.

Throughout the hearing it was made perfectly plain that there is no attack being made upon Mr. Gormley, simply upon the system which has been in operation for many years. Its antiquity was constantly under fire.

Present at the hearings were Councilors John J. McFadden, John W. Daly, Frank J. Stearns and David Dixon of the ordinance committee and Councilors Frederick A. Sadler and Maurice J. Lambert.

The Proprietors' Case
James C. Reilly was the first speaker after the hearing formally was opened by the reading of the proposed ordinance by Councilor McFadden.

As a means of bringing to the attention of the committee how the store-order system of distribution is working out in other cities, Mr. Reilly read communications from Springfield overseers of the poor, Fall River board of public welfare, Cambridge overseers of the poor, where all charity is on a cash basis; Worcester overseers of the poor, New Bedford and Lawrence boards of charity. In all of these cities systems are in vogue similar to the new one proposed for Lowell.

Mr. Reilly said he knows of no other city in the Commonwealth which has in operation a system of charity distribution as antiquated as the present Lowell system. He said further that the proponents of the ordinance feel that food should be included under the head of provisions.

"The system we are favoring, we believe would work out most beneficially as a good health measure," said Mr. Reilly. "The system would allow the purchase of foodstuffs to the great many individual tastes of the persons receiving charitable aid and do away with the receipt of articles which simply cannot be eaten because of physical ailments which demand restricted diets."

In reply to a question put by Mr. Daly as to the matter of cost under the proposed system, Mr. Reilly said he has been unable to find out just how much it does cost today to put up and deliver an order. The cost is immaterial, however, he said, but he did not feel that is the important question.

"It is incumbent upon communities to care for their poor," he said, "and there should be no such a thing as questioning the amount of money which would allow them to be properly cared for."

No Criticism of Gormley
Mr. Reilly declared there is no attack being made upon the superintendent.

ELKS ELECT OFFICERS

James E. Donnelly Chosen
Exalted Ruler—Leo T.
Murphy Elected Trustee

Lowell lodge, No. 87, R.P.O. Elks, last night elected James E. Donnelly exalted ruler, voted to send W. Edward Turnbull, retiring exalted ruler, to the Grand Lodge convention as delegate, and chose Leo T. Murphy for a one year term as trustee.

Other officers elected were Thomas J. Dowd, leading knight; James E. Kennedy, loyal knight; Thomas J. Atkinson, lecturing knight; John J. Leo, secretary; John J. Hanley, treasurer and J. Joseph Gilley, clerk. John W. Purkin was named alternate delegate to the Grand Lodge convention.

It was announced that the installation will take place at Associate hall on Sunday, April 8th. A luncheon at the club rooms will follow. District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Michael H. McCarron of Woburn is expected to designate Past Exalted Ruler Daniel Desmond of Lawrence lodge, former district deputy for the jurisdiction of Massachusetts northeast, as the installing officer.

COFFEE HOUSE BOMBED

30 Persons Injured and Two
Buildings Wrecked When
Bomb Exploded

DETROIT, March 12.—Thirty persons were injured, two buildings wrecked and windows for blocks broken when a dynamite bomb exploded at the entrance of a downtown street coffee house in Monroe avenue, early this morning. The injured, mostly cut by flying glass were taken to receiving hospitals where it was said none were seriously injured.

The cause of the bombing is not known.

ACCOMMODATION FOR POSTOFFICE PATRONS

For the convenience of patrons of the local postoffice, Postmaster Xavier A. Delille today announced that beginning next Saturday and continuing on all Saturdays during the summer months on which there will be no afternoon mail deliveries, carriers will be on duty at the general delivery window of the main postoffice building to distribute mail for all who call there for it.

This arrangement is made by the postmaster so there will be no inconvenience caused local persons by the pausing of Saturday afternoon delivery to the letter carriers. Under this arrangement, anyone expecting a Saturday afternoon mail, whether it came by express or claim it at the general delivery window.

Mr. Delille, but rather upon the system now in vogue. Commenting upon the possibility of more persons applying for charity under the new system, Mr. Reilly said there is no doubt that there are worthy families in the city today who are not receiving aid and who will not apply for it because of labor pride and because of the stigma attached to the present method. Such cases undoubtedly would be led into making application under the system proposed, he said.

Mr. Reilly called attention to a statement made at a previous hearing before the committee on public charities, to the effect that the \$3 and \$5 orders now being delivered are not in reality orders worth those sums of money, but simply are called \$3 orders and \$5 orders as a means of identification and designation.

"Although it has been told us that a \$3 order is not worth that much and does not actually cost \$3, a study of cost figures for 1923 shows that a total of 12,265 single orders were sent out at a cost of \$36,795," said Mr. Reilly, "and by a peculiar coincidence a division of \$36,795 by 12,265 to arrive at a basis of cost is exactly \$3."

After further questions by the committee members, Mr. Reilly closed the hearing on behalf of the proponents of the ordinance.

Cost Would Be Greater
Joseph H. Gormley, superintendent of charities, speaking as a respondent said the matter is wholly one whether the city desires to make a change in the system and take over a greater expense.

He agreed with Mr. Reilly that the store order system would allow a much greater variety of foodstuffs. "The proposed system would cost more to operate," he said, "but my department will be very glad to do anything for the poor of the city provided sufficient money is provided by appropriation."

Mr. Gormley pointed out that last year the charity department spent for the Chalmers Street hospital and for charity \$127,000 out of an appropriation of \$122,000.

He agreed with Mr. Reilly that the \$3 and \$5 orders, so-called, are not that in fact, but are so designated as a matter of bookkeeping. He further agreed that the figures in the books of the department are not true ones and do not actually represent what the orders cost.

He answered questions asked by members of the committee and a general discussion followed during which Humphrey O'Sullivan, Frank J. Brann, John A. Flannery and others spoke.

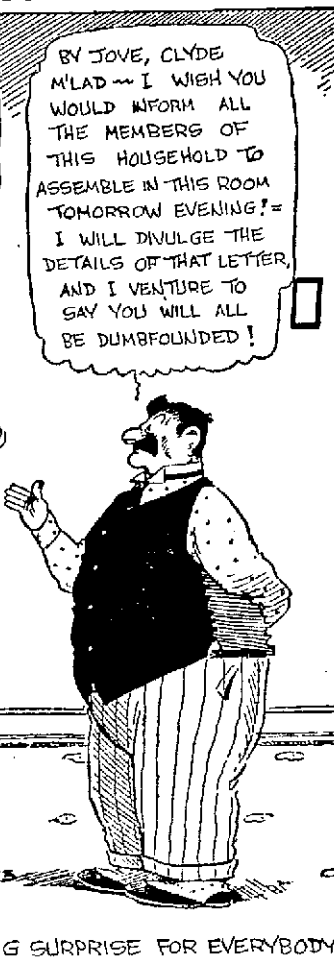
The committee took the ordinance under advisement and adjourned the hearing at 10 o'clock.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



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FIRE MACHINES IN COLLISION

Two Firemen on Danger List
in Brockton Hospital as Result of Crash in Storm

Bad Fire in Lodging House—
Couple, Both Deaf Mutes,
Rescued

BROCKTON, March 12.—Fireman Bernard G. Noonan and driver Chas. T. Dewhurst of Squad A, on the danger list at the Brockton hospital, and Lieut. Patrick Stueck was severely hurt but was able to go to his home following a crash between Squad A and Ladder No. 1 on Court street at 2 o'clock this morning.

The machines were returning from a bad blaze in a lodging house at 24 Court street, owned by Mrs. Catherine Keenan.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bosquet, both deaf mutes, were rescued by Patrolman Francis Barry and Fireman Shurtell and Eickson, after all of the other lodgers had left the burning building. The lodging house was partially gutted.

The storm did thousands of dollars damage. The high tension line of the Edison company, between East Bridgewater and Brockton, was levelled and the city today is without light or power, and in many instances, heat.

The local newspapers, operated by electricity, may be unable to get out any editions. Should the power come on before noon, the papers will be of reduced size.

Trolley traffic was crippled and Brockton is practically cut off from the rest of the surrounding country.

Members of Lowell Aerie of Eagles will go to Lawrence tonight in special electric cars at 7:30 o'clock to attend the carnival now being conducted by the Lawrence Aerie.

STREET RAILWAY BILLS

Hearing on Measures of Interest to Street Railway Men and Busmen

STATE HOUSE, Boston, March 12.—The legislative committee on street railways yesterday held hearings on four bills of interest to street railway men and busmen throughout the state. One of those bills would limit the hours a trolleyman might be required to work to eight in eleven, another provided that cars must be equipped with stop lights similar to those now used on motor cars, and a third would forbid the operation of the one-man car. The fourth left this latter to the city council to decide.

On the bill relative to stop lights there were no appearances of either for or against. Labor and capital were well and ably represented by the delegates on the other two bills.

The committee took all three matters under advisement at the close of the hearing.

The trolleyman's local from Lowell was represented by a large delegation, as were other union locals from all points of the state. Representative Charles H. Slowe met the Lowell delegates on their arrival and took care of them during their visit under the dome. Representative Slowe, together with Messrs. Corbett and Brennan, his democratic colleagues, from Lowell, were recorded as in favor of the bill in eleven hour bill. This bill would be mandatory with the companies if it passes and would make the working over the provided hour schedule optional with the men.

Rep. Keegan of Lawrence, sponsor of the bill, was the first speaker at the hearing and made a strong plea for its passage. Legislative Agent Hodgson of the A.P. of 12, Peter Rooney of Worcester, William Egan of Natick and Attorney James H. Vahey of Boston spoke in favor.

Attorney Vahey made a strong plea with the committee to recommend the early passage of the bill. Opposition developed from Bentley Warren, counsel for the Worcester Consolidated and the Springfield & Holyoke railroads, Attorney Carlton of the Eastern Massachusetts, Manager Dana of the Boston L. and others.

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MOSES BEATEN IN PRIMARY

U. S. Senator Not Pledged
to Pres. Coolidge Last in
Presidential Primary

Solid Coolidge Delegation
Named by Voters Yesterday
—Democrats Unpledged

MANCHESTER, N. H., March 12.—Returns from yesterday's presidential primary in New Hampshire, complete with the exception of 71 small towns and city wards, showed the election of 11 delegates to the republican national convention pledged to Coolidge. Seven of these were delegates-at-large and the first and second congressional districts each sent two delegates.

U. S. Senator George H. Moses, the only one of eight candidates for delegates-at-large who refused to pledge himself for Coolidge, ran last on the ticket. 141 votes behind Frank H. Chellis of Manchester, who entered the contest at the eleventh hour as a protest against the refusal of Senator Moses to join other candidates in pledged support of the president.

All democratic contestants stood unpledged. There was no contest for the night places as delegates-at-large.

With 223 out of 234 voting districts heard from, Senator Moses had a vote of 8252. Frank H. Chellis of Manchester, was elected with 10,663 votes. Albert O. Brown of Manchester stood first with 13,415.

There was no contest for republican delegates in the second congressional district. In the first district Cyrus H. Little was elected.

With the outcome awaiting final returns, Sewall Abbott and Benjamin Grear were pressing each other closely for second place.

Senator Moses was more than 100 votes behind Chellis in Concord, his home city, and ran 21 behind in his home ward.

F. Clyde Keete and Lewis H. Wilkinson, lead in the democratic race in the first congressional district and Robert J. Doyle and Robert E. Gould led in the second district.

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ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

Rev. James P. Sherry, World
War Chaplain, Opens
Series of Lenten Sermons

In St. Columba's church last night, Rev. James P. Sherry of Cohasset, veteran World war army chaplain, and an eloquent speaker, auspiciously opened the series of Lenten sermons arranged for successive Tuesday evenings by Rev. John J. Myers, pastor, by delivering an eloquent discourse on the subject: "What doth it profit a man if he gain the whole world and suffer the loss of his own soul?"

Notwithstanding the tempestuous weather, a large congregation was present at the services, which commenced at 7:30 o'clock.



REV. JAMES P. SHERRY

Before taking up the spiritual text, Fr. Sherry extended a note of appreciation to Fr. Powers for the honor of being selected to give the first sermon in the Lenten series. "On last Wednesday night—Ash Wednesday," he then began, "You meditated on death. 'Remember man that thou art dust and unto dust thou shalt return,' was the solemn warning, while the ashes, the symbol of your dissolution, were being placed on your brow. It was then that you appreciated the awfulness of death and asked yourself the question, 'After death, what then?'"

"Tonight, let us consider the question of our eternal destination. Are we to see God face to face when we die, or are we to lose that beatific vision forever? In the newspapers every day, obituary notices tell us that a friend we knew, or someone who was prominent in the community, because of his achievements, has passed away. It may be a person who has attained every possible material success, or it may be a chronic invalid. Isn't it a pity, you may say to yourself when you learn that a man of wealth, riches and renown was taken away before it was time for him to die. On the other hand, the less fortunately possessed of this world's goods dies and is invariably forgotten for the simple reason that he was not known. He has possessed an abundance of riches.

"According to what standards or criteria are we to judge man's material success. What is that which is uppermost in our minds, the goals of human ambition? It is the attainment of wealth, fame and human pleasures. These are the goals held out to the young man and woman leaving school, the boy dreaming of the day when he will have enough of this world's goods for self-indulgence, and the girl speculating her youth in sweet reverie, dreaming of palatial homes, costly motor cars and modern parties. It is the same with nearly all peoples, especially in this materialistic age. Wealth, influence and pleasure is what they strive for. Their conviction is manifested in their very manner of speech and their manner of action. It is not the poor, hard-working man with the family to support who is envied, but the man who falls to abide by the positive prohibitions of God. It is, in short, the wealthy man and the man who defies riches, the man who has a following of sycophants, the man who likes to bask in the sunshine of reflected glory. The reason for this mistake is because the things of the soul and the things of the mind are invisible, and because men are given to the satisfaction of the body.

"Money in itself is a good thing," continued Fr. Sherry, "and created it for a purpose, but it does not make men happy. He who amasses a thousand dollars wants another thousand, while the millionaire wants another million. It is similar to the case of the youth who idealizes the high school boy, but when he gets there himself he wishes he was out. Let us always remember that we came into this world with nothing and we will leave it the same way. Well might Scripture say: 'It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter heaven.'"

The speaker then went on to prove that power and influence do not bring contentment. He cited the case of Alexander the Great weeping because he had no more worlds to conquer; the disillusionment of Napoleon at St. Helena, and the imprisonment of the German emperor in Holland, vivid examples, he said, of the text that "money lies the head that wears the crown."

Fr. Sherry also described the disagreeable task that was his in 1918 at Verdun, France, when he was decorated with the Legion of Honor.

After the sermon, Fr. Sherry read the Gospel for the day, which was the story of the blind men and a donkey.

The second sermon of the series will be delivered at 7:30 o'clock next Tuesday night by Rev. Dennis A. O'Brien, D.D., a Lowell boy now stationed at St. Paul's church, Cambridge.

Because of the inclement weather yesterday afternoon, and the small number attending, the scheduled meeting of the Parent Teacher association of the Charles W. Morrey school took the form of a social hour with the members of Mrs. Moss' cooking class serving a dainty luncheon.

Called to consign 100 dead soldiers to their last resting places in the battle-scarred and blood-stained soil, Captain and private, rich man and poor man all had the same kind of burial, he said, prompting the realization of what a great leveler death was, and "vanity of vanities and all is vanity."

In conclusion, the preacher admonished the congregation to beware of the things of a misperceived world. "You were not created to eat, to possess, to indulge the senses," he said. "You were made to live and work out your salvation by keeping the commandments of God and the precepts of the church. Take home with you then tonight the words of St. Augustine, 'How certainly would I speak of salvation were I sure of it myself.'"

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JESSE M. GOVE

DIES SUDDENLY
Was Stricken While on Way
to His Office in Beacon
Street

Boston Lawyer Was Educated Here and Married Miss Ballantyne of Lowell

BOSTON, March 12.—Jesse M. Gove, prominent in republican politics in Boston for many years, and one of the most successful of local lawyers, died suddenly yesterday. Apparently in his normal health, Mr. Gove went yesterday morning to his office, 1 Beacon street. Shortly before noon, when he was walking beneath the arch of City Hall annex, he was stricken. A messenger boy notified a policeman, who assisted Mr. Gove to Station 2, from where an automobile hurried him to Haymarket hotel hospital. He was pronounced dead on arrival.

Although he has not engaged actively in politics for 20 years, Mr. Gove was once considered to be the power behind republican city administrations. His tall, spare figure and unending adherence to republican principles earned him the name of "The fall guy" among of the republican party. He served in the common council in 1881 and in the legislature from 1883 to 1885. During his last term he was chairman of the committee on cities.

As a delegate to the republican national convention of 1884 he voted for James G. Blaine on every ballot. The fact that he was the only Massachusetts republican to do this was him the title of "The original Blaine man."

In 1888 he was elected to the board of aldermen. The same year he was chairman of the republican city committee. In 1890 he ran for congress, but ex-Mayor John F. Fitzgerald defeated him. As a republican leader in Boston he reached the height of his power during the administration of Mayor Hart. It was Mr. Gove who said of Mayor Hart: "There is one more race in him, and I'm going to elect him." And he did. Mr. Gove was a good public speaker with a way of using plain language which made his arguments clear and attractive to his audience.

He was born Dec. 11, 1852, at Ware, N. H., the descendant of a family which had been in America since 1628. In Lowell he attended the public schools and studied with private tutors. In 1872, when he was 20, the family moved to Boston, where he went into business with his father, Dana B. Gove, in the firm of Dana B. Gove & Sons, which still exists under that name.

Mr. Gove was married Aug. 17, 1882, to Miss Agnes E. Ballantyne of Lowell, who survives him, with two sons, Dana B. Gove and Edward J. Gove. His home was at 228 Hemenway st., Back Bay, although he had lived many years at Lexington st., East Boston.

Funeral services will be held at the Eastman funeral home, 526 Beacon st., Thursday at 12 noon.

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Best printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg.
Catering the best, Lydon, Tel. 4934.
Fire and liability insurance, Daniel J. O'Brien, Wynman's Exchange.

Mr. J. Keyes of Lowell is registered at the Hotel African, Fall River.
Mrs. Hector Sabilleaud of Jewett City, Conn., is the guest of Mrs. W. Farmer of this city.

The condition of Miss Josephine E. Maker, who was injured Monday evening in an automobile accident is reported at St. John's hospital today as unchanged.

An informal party was tendered Master Rymond C. Bailey of 66 Third street on the occasion of his tenth birthday. Friends and relatives remembered him generously, he being the recipient of gifts from this city, Boston, New York, Maryland and Ohio.

Because of the inclement weather yesterday afternoon, and the small number attending, the scheduled meeting of the Parent Teacher association of the Charles W. Morrey school took the form of a social hour with the members of Mrs. Moss' cooking class serving a dainty luncheon.

Called to consign 100 dead soldiers to their last resting places in the battle-scarred and blood-stained soil, Captain and private, rich man and poor man all had the same kind of burial, he said, prompting the realization of what a great leveler death was, and "vanity of vanities and all is vanity."

In conclusion, the preacher admonished the congregation to beware of the things of a misperceived world. "You were not created to eat, to possess, to indulge the senses," he said. "You were made to live and work out your salvation by keeping the commandments of God and the precepts of the church. Take home with you then tonight the words of St. Augustine, 'How certainly would I speak of salvation were I sure of it myself.'"

The second sermon of the series will be delivered at 7:30 o'clock next Tuesday night by Rev. Dennis A. O'Brien, D.D., a Lowell boy now stationed at St. Paul's church, Cambridge.

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